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## Sadat: Appearance and Reality

THE questions surrounding President Sadat's decision to demand the withdrawal of Soviet military personnel multiplied yesterday, as it appeared that only some of the Russians could be asked to leave. It is estimated that there are 5,000 Soviet instructors, advisers, and technicians that operate with and within the Egyptian armed forces. They were signed to rebuild the Egyptian forces after the Six Day War and were posted in just about every important unit, not only the top, but also at lower operational levels.

It was the presence of these advisers that increasingly irked an Egyptian officer cadre, causing ever greater pressures to which ultimately Sadat was forced to respond. And it is apparently this group of advisers which Sadat has dismissed.

As a result the Egyptian leader will now be able to display his move to the Egyptian public and in near weeks the anniversary of the revolution an act removing foreign tutelage. This will enhance his standing at home, relieve some of the pressures that were reaching a dangerous point, and buy him more time.

However, there is no clear-cut yet that Sadat really intends to tamper with the presence of the additional 10-15,000 Russians who fly and maintain Tupolov bombers that trail the U.S. Sixth Fleet, and the F-22s that occasionally fly to Sinai, or the naval installations at Alexandria and the Matruh that service the growing Soviet fleet in the Mediterranean. Nor is it yet clear whether the Soviets who operate the Sam-3 and the new 1-6 missile bases, as well as interrelated radar stations, will be withdrawn.

Perhaps these questions will be aired in the discussions with the Soviet Union which Sadat will be held. It will be held in terms of the hard facts, would not be simple for Sadat to permit or press these to leave. Egypt continuously needs spare parts for its 40 tanks and 600 planes. Because of poor maintenance, this present needs constant repair. If this connection with the Soviet Union were severed, Egypt's armed forces would in a short time be helpless.

As a result there is little reason to believe that Sadat will go far, though he will seek to mean to exploit his move to improve his position at home and reap political rewards. The Soviets do not doubt the limited dimensions of Sadat's act and his freedom to act. And while Sadat's act and statements will improve his position in terms of his internal image, the Kremlin will absorb a jab of this kind, and as they know that fundamental Soviet strategic interests remain unimpaired.

Moreover they may feel it essential to their interests to their profile in Egypt or to it lowered, so that in the event of renewed hostilities they will not be implicated, and in the event of another Egyptian act they could not be blamed.

### Israel may have enough plutonium for eight A-bombs

ED NATIONS (Reuters). — Israel may have enough plutonium, subject to safeguards against its production, to make as many as 19 atomic bombs, while it may have sufficient to produce eight bombs, according to a study, dealing with the problem of preventing the spread of weapons, was drawn up by a group of distinguished American scientists, scholars and public figures, the auspices of the United States Association of the United States of America. It was issued with a parallel report on the topic by a group of Soviet experts under the aegis of the Association of the United Nations in S.R. The two studies together titled "Safeguarding the Atomic-American Exchange."

### Japanese with pistol held at Lagos airport

LAGOS (UPI). — Nigerian police arrested a young Japanese carrying a pistol and 64 bullets yesterday as he was about to board a Kenya-bound Ethiopian Airlines plane at Lagos airport, police said.

### Israel 'spy' in Yemen to Egypt

BEIRUT (Reuters). — The Yemen Arab Republic will hand over to Egypt an alleged Israeli spy arrested in Sana'a on May 28, the Iraq news agency reported yesterday.

### Japanese Interior Minister, as telling his correspondent that the man, Baruch Mizrahi, was an Israeli intelligence officer holding the rank of major-general.

### Spanish F.M. in U.K. for talks

LONDON (UPI). — Spain's Foreign Minister Lopez Bravo and British Foreign Secretary Sir Alec Douglas-Home yesterday discussed for two hours Gibraltar and other Anglo-Spanish issues "in a friendly and constructive spirit."

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## GALILI TO KNESSET No area barred to Jewish settlement

By HIRSH GOODMAN Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter

Minister without Portfolio Israel Galili told the Knesset yesterday that the Israel Government has put no area out of bounds to Jewish settlement. Replying to a motion for the agenda from Mr. Shmuel Tamir (Free Centre) the Minister said the Government had taken a decision to establish settlements in the Jordan valley, including the Akaba area. He said, however, that this decision had absolutely nothing to do with the recent spraying of crops at Akaba.

The only limitations on Jewish settlement in the areas, he said, were moral ones since Israel throughout its history had always paid paramount attention to the sensibilities and needs of the local inhabitants. Another limitation was that settlement was only one item on Israel's long list of priorities, and other national needs took precedence.

In presenting his motion, which attacked Government lethargy in promoting settlement in the administered territories, Mr. Tamir noted that whereas in the five years between 1948 and 1953, 110 settlements had been established in areas outside the official U.N. division lines, only 42 new settlements — 10 of them army outposts — had been established in the territories in the five years since the Six Day War.

### Eban scores Soviet terrorism of Jews

Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter

Foreign Minister Abba Eban charged yesterday that the Soviet security services had mounted a deliberate campaign in recent weeks to terrorise and deter Soviet Jews from joining the struggle for emigration to Israel.

He was replying to three urgent motions for the agenda by Messrs. Manasseh Begun (Gahal), Eliezer Shikret (Free Centre) and Avraham Werdiger (Poale Aguda) which were all referred for a plenum debate.

Two of the three motions referred specifically to the trial of two young Jews — Gabriel Shapiro and Mark Nasybits — set for July 26. (The Free Centre has already written to the Speaker asking him to fix the plenum debate next week before the House rises for the summer on Wednesday night.)

### SIX JEWS JAILED

Mr. Eban named six Jews who had been imprisoned in the last few weeks. In fact, he noted, pressure against *oliva* activists had not ceased at any time, despite the effective representations made on behalf of Soviet Jewry by President Nixon at the summit meeting last May.

The imprisonment, persecutions and trials and their vicious and vengeful character, were in sharp contrast to the statements made this year by Soviet officials describing family reunions as a positive manifestation, he said.

The matter of Israeli citizenship could be effective, he believed, as regards the way in which the case of the imprisoned Jews was handled. In general, he stressed, help must be extended to all Soviet Jews who needed it, whatever their citizenship.

Thousands of Soviet Jews were now in Israel and many of them had arrived recently, Mr. Eban said. This was testimony to the success of Israel in its campaign — albeit that success was not great enough. The efforts made so far, he said, were far from sufficient, and he had to be further intensified.

Mr. Eban lashed out at Alignment (Continued on page 2, col. 2)

### Hunger strike in Moscow for Markman

MOSCOW (AP). — Four Soviet dissidents staged a sit-in and hunger strike yesterday in the reception bureau of Communist Party headquarters, dissident sources reported.

The four were demonstrating against the expulsion from Moscow of the wife of Vladimir Markman, an imprisoned Soviet Jew, and the reluctance of Russian legal authorities to provide an acceptable defence counsel for his forthcoming trial.

Mr. Galili in a short speech which was constantly interrupted by heckling from the benches said that he for one could see no reason for the motion since in his opinion the Government must be complimented over its settlement policy. This, he said, would be continued and intensified. As long as there was no peace between Israel and its neighbours, the country would continue to maintain the cease-fire lines. "Israel would leave no vacuum in these areas," he declared.

Since the Six Day War, he said, 15 settlements have been established in the Golan Heights; another 15 in Judea and Samaria and 14 more in Gaza and Sinai. Only recently, on July 3, another settlement was established in the Jordan Valley.

He rejected out of hand the claim by Mr. Tamir that Israel was a private meeting between Dr. Kissinger and Communist negotiators was disclosed on the same day it took place.

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### Sadat invited to France

PARIS (Reuters). — President Anwar Sadat of Egypt is expected to visit France towards the end of this year at the invitation of President Georges Pompidou, informed French sources said yesterday.

The Egyptian President is one of several Arab leaders due to visit France in the next six months, they said. He will be the first Egyptian head of state to pay an official visit to France since the late King Farouk was deposed 20 years ago.

### Muhammad Ali wins

DUBLIN (UPI). — Muhammad Ali moved a step nearer a rematch with Joe Frazier last night when he stopped Al "Blue" Lewis of Detroit in the 11th round of their 12-round heavyweight contest at Croke Park here.

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## KISSINGER SEES HANOI MEN IN PARIS

PARIS — President Nixon's special envoy, Dr. Henry Kissinger, had private talks in Paris yesterday with North Vietnamese officials on prospects for ending the Vietnam war.

The meeting — the 14th secret session between Dr. Kissinger and Hanoi emissaries — is believed to have been held at a house in a Paris suburb put at their disposal by the French Government.

Dr. Kissinger, Mr. Nixon's closest foreign policy adviser, flew secretly to Paris on Tuesday and was expected to have only one meeting with the North Vietnamese before returning to Washington last night. White House press secretary Ronald Ziegler said in Washington.

Talking with Dr. Kissinger were Le Duc Tho, a senior member of the North Vietnamese Politburo, and Xuan Thuy, Hanoi's senior negotiator at the Paris peace talks.

Their discussions came on the eve of another session of the talks which resumed last Thursday. The U.S. has long believed that if the war can be ended by negotiation it will be in private meetings rather than at the formal, semi-public talks.

News of the meeting was announced simultaneously by the White House in Washington and the North Vietnamese delegation to the talks here. Hanoi's delegation merely recorded that the meeting had been held. They did not even say how long the talks lasted.

The last known meeting between Dr. Kissinger and Mr. Tho was on May 2, and speculation was strong in Paris that they would be conferring again this week.

The Hanoi envoy arrived here last Saturday and told reporters he was ready to see Dr. Kissinger to "find a correct settlement" of the Vietnam issue.

Yesterday marked the first time a private meeting between Dr. Kissinger and Communist negotiators was disclosed on the same day it took place.

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## CANAL OPENING SAID AIM: Sadat asks meeting with U.S. officials

### Moscow: Personnel to leave

MOSCOW — The Soviet Union last night broke its silence to announce that it was bringing its military personnel home from Egypt because they had completed their function there.

Tass said the move was made after "an exchange of opinion" with the Egyptian Government. It said that the two governments "deemed it expedient to bring back to the Soviet Union the military personnel that had been sent to Egypt for a limited period."

The Tass announcement said the Soviet Union planned to continue developing and strengthening in every way its relations with Egypt. These relations were based on the strong foundation of the Soviet-Egyptian treaty of friendship and cooperation and of the joint struggle for the "liquidation of the consequences of Israeli aggression," it added.

Confirmation of the withdrawal also apparently was the first official Russian admission Soviet troops even had been in Egypt. (Reuters, UPI)

### Galili: No policy change

Minister without Portfolio Israel Galili yesterday told an Israel Radio reporter that the exodus of Soviet experts from Egypt justified no change in Israel's policy. Israel sought peace, but in the absence of peace Israel was determined to continue to control all the territory included in the cease-fire agreement.

Settlement activity in these areas would continue, including search for water sources, establishment of outposts and activities for the benefit of the areas' Arab residents.

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### Stunned silence by Arabs

Post Arab Affairs Reporter and agencies Arab governments yesterday reacted with stunned silence to Egyptian President Anwar Sadat's dismissal of his country's Russian advisers.

The development was nevertheless reported in all Arab capitals under banner headlines. The most prominent display was featured in Tripoli, and Khartoum where the Libyan and the Sudanese news agencies reported that the Sadat move was received in their respective countries with "great satisfaction."

In Syria, which is Egypt's partner in a tripartite federation also embracing Libya, the event was broadcast by the state radio and published by the government-controlled newspapers without any comment. The official press in Iraq also avoided comment as that country's Foreign Minister flew to Moscow for talks with Kremlin leaders.

Some Beirut newspapers criticized him for changing his policies too often and warned that his latest move risked leaving the Arabs "stark naked" in the face of their enemy.

Most published opinion favoured the theory that this was a deliberate, if desperate, move towards a negotiated settlement — and some went as far as to say that it marked the end of Arab hopes of military action against Israel.

By ANAN SAFADI, Post Arab Affairs Reporter

President Sadat of Egypt has instructed his aides to seek a top-level meeting with U.S. officials to discuss the Middle East situation in the aftermath of his order expelling Soviet military advisers from his country, Western diplomatic sources in Israel said yesterday.

The sources expressed the belief that Sadat's wish was already conveyed last Monday to the chief U.S. representative in Cairo, Joseph Greene, during his meeting with Hafez Ismail, Egyptian presidential adviser on national security affairs.

The sources added that Sadat's immediate aim is to seek an early reopening of the Suez Canal, presumably under a partial settlement with Israel.

It was added that Sadat himself had informed the Central Committee of the Arab Socialist Union of his renewed contacts with the Americans, at the same meeting on Tuesday when he announced the ouster of the Russians.

One diplomat told *The Jerusalem Post* yesterday that Sadat also told the Central Committee that he would now seek a political settlement to the Middle East conflict. This was in contrast to his public declaration on Tuesday that battle was the only solution.

Meanwhile, news agency reports last night said that most of the Soviet advisers, believed to number between 15,000 and 20,000, could be out of Egypt by Sunday, the 20th anniversary of the overthrow of the Egyptian monarch.

The reports said that small groups of Russians in civilian clothes, accompanied by their wives and children, clutching hastily bought last minute souvenirs waited for aircraft at Cairo Airport as the exodus got under way. The departing Russians were said to have been seen off by Egyptian military personnel who handed their advisers gifts and souvenirs.

### SOME SEARCHED

Some reports said the Russians were searched by customs officers in case they took more than the official limit of gold — following a recent incident in which a Soviet group was held for trying to take out more gold than the law permitted.

Others were expected to go home by sea from Alexandria where Egyptian port facilities have played a major role in the build-up of Soviet strength in the eastern Mediterranean in recent years.

As the Russians pulled out, Egyptian personnel were moving into bases that were formerly Soviet-occupied and were taking over Soviet-manned equipment.

Areas of Alexandria port where Russians had worked were closed yesterday. Groups of Russians gathered outside their homes in the city's fashionable Rameh area apparently waiting for transport to take them to Cairo for a flight home.

The Russian exodus, which according to Sadat began on Monday, coincided yesterday with the opening of "Soviet-Egyptian Friendship Week" in Cairo, where a 25-man Soviet mission arrived for the event.

More about the developments in Egyptian-Soviet relations is expected to be clarified by President Sadat next Monday when he addresses the National Congress of the Arab Socialist Union. On Sunday, the national day, members of A.S.U. organizations will watch military games along the Suez Canal, the

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## Thank you, Egypt says

MOSCOW (Reuters). — The Egyptian Embassy here yesterday thanked Soviet military advisers, asked to leave Egypt, for their "honest efforts, vital services and their sacrifices."

Described as an official Egyptian statement, the message said the Egyptian people fully appreciated the advisers' efforts "against the forces of aggression."

The embassy statement, copies of which were distributed in English, stressed that Egypt wished to continue its cooperation with the Soviet Union in all fields despite the departure of the military personnel.

It said: "While departing from Egyptian soil at the end of this phase, our Soviet friends can nevertheless rest assured that their honest efforts, vital services and their sacrifices for the cause of the common struggle against the forces of aggression are fully appreciated and estimated by the Egyptian people."

Middle East News Agency reported yesterday. It was believed that the exercise would this time be held in the absence of Soviet military advisers.

Middle East observers yesterday expressed the opinion that Sadat's pursuit of a political settlement could be one of two logical steps resulting from Tuesday's developments. They noted that, militarily, Egypt's position on the front would be unstable and, politically, Sadat would argue that a major obstacle represented by the Russian presence was removed. It was added that Sadat would capitalize on his greater ability to manoeuvre politically.

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Thus, it seemed impossible for any authoritative source to assess the extent of the Russian pullout in the context of Cairo's definitions. For example, it would be difficult to determine whether the 200 Soviet pilots in Egypt would be among the departing "advisers and experts," or among the "instructors" who would remain. The same holds good for such Soviets as the experts or instructors manning the Sam missiles and even the Soviet naval forces based in Alexandria. (See page 3).

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Social and Personal

Mr. John Barnes, the outgoing British Ambassador, yesterday paid a parting call on Prime Minister Golda Meir in Jerusalem. Present at the meeting was Mr. Simha Dinitz, Director-General of the Prime Minister's Office. Mr. Barnes, who was accompanied by his wife, also called on the President of the Supreme Court, Dr. Shimon Agranat.

Housing Minister Ze'ev Shafar on Tuesday met with the Israeli Bonds Staff Delegation composed of city managers of Bond offices throughout the U.S. The Delegation later lunched with Finance Minister Pinhas Sapir and the Director-General of the Finance Ministry, Mr. Avraham Agmon, at the Knesset.

Mr. John Waddy, Minister of Welfare for the Australian state of New South Wales, called yesterday on Social Welfare Minister Michael Hazani.

An Oneg Shabbat (in English), for tourists and new immigrants, will be held at 9 p.m. Friday at Ihud Shivat Zion synagogue, 56 Rehov Ben Yehuda, Tel Aviv. A question-and-answer programme will feature Yitzhak Shargil, moderator, Ze'ev Sugarmann, and others.

Baby, oldest die in Ulster bomb attacks

BELFAST (UPI) — Bombers killed a six-month-old baby boy and a 71-year-old grandfather yesterday in separate incidents of escalating Northern Ireland violence. But a government source said there was still hope for a new cease-fire.

Police in Strabane, 104 kms. west of Belfast, said the baby died when a bomb hidden in a parked automobile exploded near the main square. At least four adults were badly injured.

At the White Horse pub in Belfast's mixed Springfield Road area, gunmen planting a bomb shot and killed 71-year-old grandfather Harry Gray, a Protestant, during an apparent scuffle.

In London, Prime Minister Edward Heath defended his government's Northern Ireland policies and called on Ulster citizens to speak out anew against the violence, an action he said would require real courage.

A government source said Secretary of State William Whitelaw was still hopeful there might be another cease-fire in Northern Ireland but at the moment was taking a "wait and see" attitude.

Ex-Minister wants to stay in Nablus

Jerusalem Post Arab Affairs Reporter Former Jordanian Foreign Minister Walid Salah yesterday submitted an application to the Israeli authorities requesting to settle in his former home town of Nablus. He is a cousin of Jordan's present Foreign Minister, Abdullah Salah.

Mr. Salah, a professional lawyer who was known for his close relations with Egypt's late President Nasser, made his application shortly after arriving in Nablus from Amman for a visit under the summer visits scheme. He crossed the Jordan a short while before the 100,000th visitor, a woman, arrived at the bridge.

Mr. Salah, 55, would be one of several former Jordanian ministers who came back to settle in the West Bank following the Six Day War. He had been in Kuwait for several years moving there following repeated friction between Jordan and Egypt.

At one time he headed the Jordanian Bar Association. He began his political career in the mid-1950s, gaining surprising prominence at the Bandung Afro-Asian conference. But he quit politics a decade later in the midst of the inter-Arab conflicts. He is highly respected among Palestinian circles.

Mr. Salah's arrival coincided with the visit of another Jordanian minister, Ismail Hijazi, who was the first Arab government official to extend an interview to The Jerusalem Post at the wrecked Aljerry Bridge shortly after the Six Day War.

A memorial meeting and the unveiling of the tombstone of our beloved son

will take place on Sunday, July 23, 1972, at 4.30 p.m. at the Holon Cemetery. Those attending will meet at the new gate. We wish to thank all those who expressed their sympathy to us. Dr. Chaim and Gabriele Eger.

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CHAIM GANOR (GANDZ) a visit to his graveside and unveiling of the tombstone will take place on Sunday, July 23, 1972. Assembly near the cemetery gate, Kfar Samir, Haifa at 9.30 p.m. THE FAMILY

AFTER SOVIET-EGYPTIAN CHILL MOSCOW MAY APPROACH OTHER ARAB COUNTRIES

By HENRY SHAPIRO

MOSCOW (UPI) — The chill in Soviet-Egyptian relations exemplified by the expulsion from Egypt of Soviet military advisers has been a foregone conclusion ever since the Kremlin made clear it would not be involved in an offensive war against Israel and a possible confrontation with the U.S., qualified diplomatic sources said yesterday.

Soon after the Arab disaster in the 1967 war, it was reliably reported, Soviet leaders made it clear, first to the late President Nasser and later to his successor Anwar Sadat, that the Soviet Union would help all it could, but was not prepared to fight a war for them.

By all accounts, Soviet assistance has been enormous. Egyptian forces are said to be stronger now than before their rout in 1967.

But neither unstinted diplomatic Soviet initiative nor the supply of sophisticated defence weapons and advisers to train Egyptian personnel judged Israel from its position — no concessions before negotiations — leaving few options and face-saving devices for the Arab leaders.

Soviet determination not to support a new war in the Middle East was again expressed to Egyptian Premier Azzam Sidki during a marathon eight-hour session with the Soviet leaders last Thursday, diplomatic sources said.

Despite the drastic "turning-point" decisions of the Egyptians which some Western observers here described as "cutting their noses to spite their faces," the Russians have not rushed into print to disclose their next step.

As far as the Soviet public at large is concerned no Soviet advisers are in Egypt. The presence of 20,000 Soviet military specialists and vast quantities of aircraft, tanks, artillery and rockets in Egypt have not been publicized here.

Soviet influence in the Middle East will remain for some time despite the expulsion of the Soviet advisers from Egypt.

As if in anticipation of possible difficulties with Egypt Moscow recently concluded a friendship pact with Iraq and considerably increased its influence in Syria.

It was no accident that on Tuesday night, hours after the Cairo announcement, Moscow Radio and television in prime time began the programme with a report from Baghdad about the importance of Soviet-Iraqi friendship, followed by a dispatch from Cairo of the trial of alleged Zionist spies.

Not a word about the event that may have launched the deterioration of relations with Cairo was broadcast on Tuesday or yesterday.

Whatever the official position, some non-official Russians who follow foreign news broadcasts are now saying, "We told you so," and are beginning to question whether the huge investments in Egypt will be paid back. They referred to experiences with Ghana, Sudan, Guinea, Congo and other African countries where Soviet aid went down the drain.

More cynical Russians are beginning to wonder whether their good and great friends, the anti-Israeli French, will rush in to try to replace the Soviet Union as chief supplier of hardware to the Arabs. "We don't like the smell of oil," such people say.

Whatever the consequences of the Egyptian plague, it may be expected that publicly, at least, Moscow will put the best possible face on the problem. Attempts probably will be made to paper over the difference with Cairo, to improve and expand relations with other Arab countries as well as to seek salvaging whatever possible from the Moscow-Cairo connection.

RETAIN PRESENCE

By K. C. THALER LONDON (UPI) — The Soviet Union intends to retain a powerful presence in Egypt, including vital air and naval base facilities, despite the serious rift with the Cairo leadership, diplomatic sources said here yesterday.

The bases in question include air installations in Cairo West, once Britain's key base, those at the Aswan Dam, naval facilities in Alexandria and more recent ones in Mersa Matruh where new installations were set up only recently to include facilities for Soviet submarines.

Moscow has no intention to abandon this strategic presence, a stand expected to be reaffirmed in forthcoming high-level Russo-Egyptian talks, the sources said. There was still some uncertainty over the scope of the expulsion of Soviet advisers from Egypt, the sources said. It appeared to involve some 15,000-20,000 men, Soviet army officers and enlisted personnel, who have manned anti-missile sites. They had been introduced into all major branches of the Egyptian armed forces.

London: Bilateral affair

By DAVID LENNON

Jerusalem Post Correspondent LONDON — The Foreign Office spokesman told The Jerusalem Post yesterday that the British Government had decided that the Soviet-Egyptian development was a bilateral issue between the Egyptians and the Russians, and that his government did not want to get involved.

An Egyptian armed services mission visited Britain during the past 12 months, and studied various weapons. However, there was no official affirmation of whether Britain would in fact be selling any arms to Egypt.

Sadat has declared his interest in purchasing arms from sources other than the Soviets, and the British are on record as being prepared to consider all applications on their merits.

The press here has predicted a number of possible developments from the new situation. Some commentators believe that there will be a resumption of at least limited warfare along the Suez Canal now that the restraining influence of the Russians has been removed.

Others, however, feel that there will be retrenchment within Egypt, and that this will perhaps enhance the prospects of success for the new Jarring mission, due to get under way in New York soon.

FRENCH EMBARGO

By JACK MAURICE

Jerusalem Post Correspondent PARIS — The French Government hastened yesterday to reject the possibility that France will replace the Soviet Union as Egypt's arms supplier.

The government's ministerial spokesman Jean-Philippe Lecat, said after the weekly meeting of the Cabinet here. "There is no question of any change in the French policy on the embargo of arms for the belligerent powers in the Middle East."

He said Foreign Minister Maurice Schumann had reviewed the new situation in the Middle East during the Cabinet session but had not indulged in any speculation on its possible consequences.

However, despite Mr. Lecat's denial that France intends to ship arms to Egypt, the departure of the Soviet pilots and possibly of their aircraft, too, has revived guessing here about where Sadat will turn now for military equipment.

GERMANS SCEPTICAL

By BRIAN AERTHUS

Jerusalem Post Correspondent BONN — Major West German newspapers are sceptical about a complete turnaround in Egypt's relations with Russia.

President Sadat's demand that the Soviets leave Egypt is "by no means the end of the relationship with the Soviet Union," writes the conservative daily "Frankfurter Allgemeine."

But the nationally distributed daily "Die Welt," owned by pro-Israel publisher Axel Springer, sees the "loss of the Soviet position in Egypt changing the political map in the Arab world."

The West German Foreign Ministry withheld comment, partly because Bonn regards the matter as an "Egyptian-Soviet" affair, a spokesman here said. But officials are reluctant to talk even off-the-record due to uncertainty and lack of solid information surrounding the Egyptian events.

Soviet terrorism of Jews

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Mr. Begin said Russia could learn its lesson from the failure of its policy of extending influence overseas. Russia tried — like Britain in former times and like France today — to win Arab hearts by an anti-Israel policy, he said. Now the time had come to tell the Russians that they should usher in a new policy towards Israel, and start by letting the Prisoners of Zion go free.

Mr. Shostak said that the trial of Shapir and Nashpitz signalled a new peak in Soviet efforts to frighten Jews against Zionist involvement. Once they were sentenced it would be very difficult to free them, he warned.

The two Jews had been granted Israeli citizenship, Mr. Shostak noted. The press had reported, however, that Shapir and Nashpitz had not yet received their citizenship documents from the Netherlands Embassy, and that the Embassy had in fact not been asked (by Jerusalem) to hand the papers over. Moreover, he charged, Israel Broadcasting's programmes to the Soviet Union had not yet mentioned the fact that citizenship had been granted.

Mr. Shostak quoted various press reports — which might or might not be well founded — to the effect that the authorities here had been dragging their feet on the citizenship papers matter. It might well be, he admitted, that the Dutch did not feel themselves able to extend their intermediary role to the sphere of citizenship. At all events, Mr. Shostak insisted, a host of questions existed which required answers.

What could not be denied, he said, was the efficacy of pressure by public opinion in the past to relieve the plight of Russian Jews. After Shapir and Nashpitz, he warned, other victims were due to be brought to trial.



Soviet Premier Alexei Kosygin, right, shakes hands with U.N. Secretary-General Kurt Waldheim during their meeting in the Kremlin yesterday. Mr. Waldheim, in Moscow for a five-day visit, on Tuesday met with Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko. (AP radiophoto)

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Freight trains from China reportedly unloaded at Dong Dang, a North Vietnamese town close to the border. There, North Vietnamese truck pick up the supplies.

Despite a heavy concentration of surface-to-air missiles in this region, Pentagon officials claim more than 38 important bridges have been disabled here. This has paralyzed movements inside North Vietnam but the North Vietnamese have managed to keep some trucks running by improvising pontoon bridges and ferries.

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Security Council to meet again tonight Israel note to Council deferred

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — The Security Council session of Tuesday evening, considering a Syrian-Lebanese request that the six officers of those nations being held by Israel be returned, and an Israeli proposal for a general exchange of prisoners of war, was adjourned until 9.30 p.m. Israel time today.

The four-hour meeting developed into a procedural wrangle over whether or not to consider the Israel request together with the Arab one, with the Arabs and their supporters — mainly Somalia and the U.S.S.R. — trying to get the Israel proposal stricken from the agenda.

A Somali proposal to knock the Israel letter off the proposed agenda failed on a vote of 8 in favour and 7 abstaining — one less than the necessary 9-vote majority. But that vote showed that opponents of the Israel item had enough votes to prevent its getting on the adopted agenda.

At a news conference, held while the Council was in session, Israel Ambassador to the U.N. Yosef Teohach said it was ironic that the move against his proposed subject for debate was led by "such apostles of free speech as Somalia and the Soviet Union."

Somali Ambassador Abdurrahman Abby Farah made the motion to delete the Israeli item. Other nations voting for it were China, France, Guinea, India, the Soviet Union, Sudan and Yugoslavia. Those abstaining were the U.S., Britain, Belgium, Italy, Japan, Argentina and Panama.

Lebanese Ambassador Edouard Ghara opened the debate, after the U.S. lost the procedural battle to have the Council simultaneously debate the Israel proposal. U.S. Ambassador George Bush had to accept a compromise proposal from Council President Carlos Ortiz de Rozas of Argentina for two separate debates — one starting at that session on the Lebanese and Syrian letters, and another starting later on the Israeli letter. The Council gave silent consent to the proposal.

In the beginning of the debate, following this, Lebanon asked the Council to send a delegation to Israel to seek the release of the five Syrian and one Lebanese army officers captured during an Arab probe into Lebanon on June 21. Ambassador Ghorra also asked that the Council condemn Israel for failure to release the officers already, as sought by a Council resolution adopted June 26.

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Danes hold 6 in \$3m. drug haul

COPENHAGEN (AP) — Danish police yesterday arrested six Turks and confiscated 157 kilos of marijuana and 250 kilos of hashish, the largest single illegal consignment of drugs ever uncovered in Denmark.

The narcotics squad of Copenhagen's police, acting in close liaison with West German police to crack down on a suspected international drug ring, estimated the haul's market value of the drugs at 28 kroner (about \$3m.).

One of the Turks now under arrest was in possession of 400,000 kroner, \$58,000 in cash and a load pistol, police said.

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# EGYPT ARMY OFFICERS RESENTED RUSSIANS

# Withdrawal reduces dangers'

By ZEEV SCHUL  
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TEL AVIV. — THE Soviet exodus from Egypt is most likely to begin with military advisers serving with Egyptian Army units, informed sources suggested here yesterday.

Their explanation was that the presence of these Russians, inside the Egyptian Army proper, had been resented most by the Egyptian officers. The Egyptian military had considered the imposition of the Russians an insult to their professional standing. It was suggested that it was this group of traditional (Egyptian) troublemakers which had started the sequence of events culminating with President Sadat's dramatic announcement on Tuesday.

But these advisers constitute only a minority of the 17,000 Soviet officers and men now serving in Egypt — not counting the additional 3,000 civilian technicians and engineers who are helping out on various economic projects inside the country.



President Sadat announces withdrawal of Soviet military advisers Tuesday. (Official picture — AP radiophoto)

PRESIDENT Anwar Sadat's demand for the withdrawal of an estimated 20,000 Soviet advisers from Egypt could be a momentous turning point in the Middle East, the "New York Times" said yesterday in an editorial.

If the Egyptian President carried out the move, the paper said the withdrawal of the Soviet advisers "would substantially reduce the danger of a big power confrontation in the area and dramatically improve the possibilities for an Arab-Israeli settlement."

The paper said that disengagement from Egypt might not be "entirely distasteful" to the Russians and that the next logical step for Mr. Sadat would be to seek better relations with the West.

The London "Times" asked in an editorial where Egypt can "turn today for an alternative supplier of arms? China will be sympathetic but cautious and has not the arms which Russia has been supplying — let alone those which Russia has not been supplying. France is not in the same armaments league. America again? How many votes would arms for Sadat bring in the election?"

The paper continued: "Egypt is the key piece in one of the world's major power situations. She cannot retire from it — the possibility, indeed, has to be faced that the Russians may conclude that Egypt, like Czechoslovakia, is too important a country to be allowed any say in its own destiny. That would provoke a major and extremely dangerous crisis, which, in view of Russian reluctance to face a collision with America in this area, makes it unlikely."

The "Guardian" said: "Neither Israel nor the Western powers ought to cheer too loudly at the news of the rift." The paper interpreted the ouster of the advisers as a sign that Egypt has taken up "a more belligerent posture" and that without Russian restraint the Egyptians might risk another war. (AP, Reuter)

Royal Army commanders have gone on record with statements to the effect that they would go out of their way to avoid a showdown with the Russians.

The assumption here is that the present discord will not lead to a total break. Both the Russians and Egypt have too much at stake and remain dependent on each other. There seems no reason that the Russians should not be able to retain most of their present bases (which is all they are really interested in) in return

for swallowing the insults and maintaining discreet spares and arms deliveries as well as their instruction programme.

Russia in turn is looking far ahead, towards the Indian Ocean and the Persian Gulf. Egypt must remain a vital link in this chain. Russia has, after all, invested an estimated six to seven thousand million U.S. dollars in the Egyptian war machine during the past 16 years. Most of this sum was spent during the past three years.

Shared airfields

More of the Russians were dispersed in some eleven Soviet-Egyptian shared airfields (mainly in the southern parts of the country), and others were assigned to all Soviet missile units, including modernized batteries of Sam II and Sam III anti-aircraft missiles as well as to the assorted electronic gadgetry that went with them.

Israeli military circles were yesterday still holding back and "waiting for the dust to settle" as they put it, before contributing their bit to the shower of speculations and educated guesses which President Sadat's announcement produced.

The general approach was one of extreme caution in appraising some of the more immediate aspects of a possible Soviet pullout.

At its face value President Sadat's speech would have suggested a near total expulsion of all the Russians in Egypt. But even considerably less than that is already bound to have a major impact on the Egyptian war machine. It will no doubt impair its functioning, especially its offensive potential.

With no restraining hand on the bride the Egyptians could, of course, always unless an immediate all-out war against Israel.



Singer Frank Sinatra arrives at a Congressional committee hearing in Washington Tuesday for questioning on alleged mobster connections with a New England racetrack he was associated with in 1963. (AP radiophoto)

Long run

A more realistic appraisal would reveal even to the Egyptians the extent of their total military dependence on the Soviet Union in the long run, especially for spares to keep their army, air force and navy operational.

The Egyptians are self sufficient in ammunition, producing most of their own requirements. But they would probably have to resort to "cannibalization" of equipment if the Soviets were to stop all deliveries.

The Egyptians could, for cash on the barrelhead, probably find new arms sources. France would be one likely supplier. But the switchover to new weapon types would be a time consuming process the Egyptians could ill afford. This would not be the way they would plan ahead. A wholesale Russian exit would also leave the country infinitely more vulnerable than it is at present. Is-

## Sicilian bandits free landowner for ransom

CATANIA, Sicily (Reuter). — Bandits yesterday released a wealthy Sicilian landowner kidnapped near here more than a month ago, after his family paid an unknown sum as ransom, police said.

Dr. Aldo Palumbo, 47, stopped a police patrol early yesterday on the outskirts of this east Sicilian city, and asked to be taken to his home here. Police said he was pale but in good health.

On June 15 four masked men kidnapped Dr. Palumbo — an agricultural expert and local politician — as he was driving with his estate manager from his large farm southwest of here.

They forced the two men at gunpoint out of the landowner's Mercedes and into another car.

Three days later they released the estate manager, 64-year-old Angelo Mangano, who apparently brought with him the bandits' first ransom demand, believed to have been 500 million lire (about \$385,000). Negotiations between the kidnappers and Dr. Palumbo's family were strictly secret.

Police, who failed to find any trace of the bandits either after the kidnap or after the release of Mangano, launched a major operation again yesterday to try to track them down.

One theory was that the men might have fled to Malta. Police have ruled out the possibility that the crime might have been connected with the Mafia, which has never had any stronghold in eastern Sicily.

## Tupamaros section said eliminated

MONTEVIDEO (UPI). — The Uruguayan security forces has announced the nearly total elimination of "Colum 25" of the leftwing Tupamaro guerrillas with the arrest of 39 persons in Rio Negro, 225 kms. northwest of the capital.

The arrested included a priest and Olvio Alza Baldi, a wealthy rancher, the communique said. The arrests were among the first under the week-old security act which made accused terrorists subject to military justice.

The act replaced the "Declaration of Internal Warfare" which Congress approved earlier to eliminate legal obstacles in the fight against the guerrillas.

Queen Elizabeth fire was arson

HONGKONG (AP). — Fire which raged through the former luxury liner Queen Elizabeth and gutted it here on January 9 was probably deliberately caused by persons unknown, a marine court of inquiry said yesterday.

The court's finding was that "there were at least three major sites of fire, all of them occurring within minutes of each other, and there may have been other independent sites as well."

It commented: "While there is no direct and conclusive evidence on the matter, the court is also satisfied that by far the most likely cause of the fires was a series of deliberate acts by a person or persons unknown."

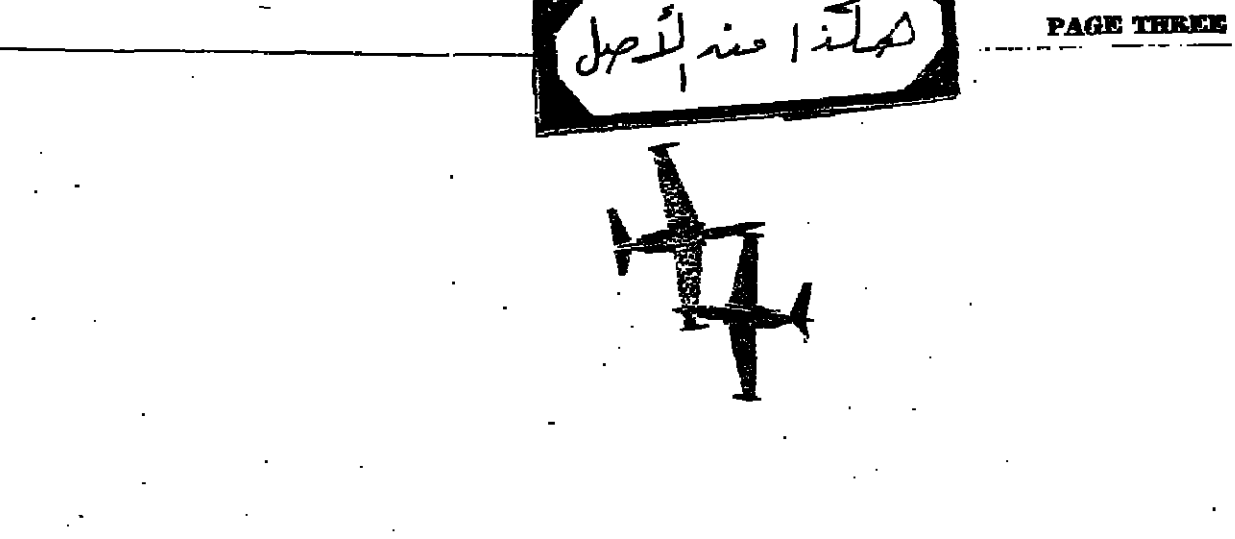
Welding and cigarette smoking were ruled out as possible causes of the fire.

## 2 'Rolling Stones' held for assault

WARWICK, Rhode Island (Reuter). — Two members of the British rock group the Rolling Stones were arrested Tuesday night, along with three associates, after an alleged assault on a newspaper photographer. The Stones, however, were released in time to give a Boston concert yesterday although fans had to wait four hours to hear the group.

Mick Jagger, 29, leader of the five-man group, was charged with obstructing a police officer, while Keith Richards was booked on a charge of simple assault. He and a Stones' associate were charged with simple assault upon Andy Dickerman, a staff photographer for the "Providence Journal-Bulletin," who tried to take pictures of the group here.

GATS. — The widow of Sir Charles Roberts, noted Canadian poet and novelist, said in Campbellville, Ontario, Tuesday she can't afford to maintain her 15 dogs and 58 cats in Canada so she's taking them to British Honduras — where they will cost her \$500 instead of \$1,000 a month.



Aerobatic flyers staged what looked from the ground like a head-on crash at Tuesday's Air Force Day fly-past. (Herman — IPPA)

## 'Japan — Taiwan ties still close'

TOKYO (Reuter). — Prime Minister Kakuei Tanaka indicated yesterday that Japan's relations with Taiwan still remained the main problem to be solved before the establishment of diplomatic relations with China.

In his first formal press conference since his election as Prime Minister on July 5, Mr. Tanaka avoided clear-cut statements on China.

There had been considerable interest in whether Mr. Tanaka would announce a plan to visit Peking for talks on establishing diplomatic relations, after his Chinese counterpart Chou En-lai reportedly issued an invitation earlier this week.

On Taiwan, Mr. Tanaka said: "Japan has close and diplomatic relations (with the Nationalist Chinese Government)."

"The problem has to be solved among Japan, China and Taiwan. (It) should be solved when the problem of normalizing relations with China is solved."

An indication of Japan's desire to improve relations with Peking was the presence at the press conference of three Chinese journalists, invited for the first time.

The Japanese Government on Tuesday issued a policy statement saying it fully understood China's three principles for the normalization of Sino-Japanese relations.

This was taken as indicating its willingness to eventually accept the conditions that declare the People's Republic of China is the only legitimate government of China, that Taiwan is an integral part of China and that the Taiwan-Japan peace treaty should be scrapped.

But Mr. Tanaka yesterday indicated he planned to proceed with caution in dealing with China.

He said Foreign Minister Masayoshi Ohira was handling the entire problem, and there was a need to first reach a consensus within the ruling Liberal Democratic Party (LDP) as well as the nation as a whole. There is a vocal pro-Taiwan lobby within the LDP.

Mr. Tanaka continued: "If necessary, someone will go to China. It is said that Peking Airport is always open. I would say that Tokyo Airport is also always open. It is not a question of who goes or when... this will solve itself automatically."

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South Vietnamese paratrooper fires machine gun from the shoulder at nearby North Vietnamese positions in bunkers as his unit fights house-to-house towards centre of Quang Tri. (AP radiophoto)

## PILOT SHOT DEAD IN COCKPIT

CARTAGENA, Columbia (UPI). — A passenger aboard a Columbian owned TAO Airline plane flying between San Andres Island and Bogota apparently went berserk Tuesday night, burst into the cockpit and shot the pilot to death, police said.

The man also wounded the copilot, identified as Alfonso Ferrer, who although wounded in the head, managed to land the plane safely. The copilot later was rushed to a local hospital in critical condition.

Police took Benjamin Suarez into custody. Police said Suarez was an investor in TAO Airlines, but gave no further explanation for the shooting.

While the pilot, identified as Miguel Beltram, lay dead at the controls, the copilot and flight engineer grappled with the assailant. The Vickers turboprop aircraft flew without anyone at the controls while the two men subdued the assailant.

Police said there was some panic among the 48 passengers and two stewardesses aboard the local aircraft. No injuries were reported among the passengers.

## Fischer v. Spassky today

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The newspaper said the officer told police he left Greece for Crete and took a boat to Egypt but it ran aground near Sidi Barrani on the Mediterranean coast. He was seen by local persons as he waded ashore, still in uniform, and handed over to the authorities.

The newspaper did not give the officer's name or say when the incident happened.

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# Why Peking gives Africa so much aid

By ALAN HUTCHISON

CHINA'S re-emergence into the field of international diplomacy has been accompanied by a considerable expansion of its aid-giving activities.

Spectacular offers of aid have been made to countries affording recognition to Peking — such as the \$84m. credit extended to Ethiopia last year — while traditional beneficiaries of China's largesse, like Tanzania, Somalia and Pakistan, have seen considerable increases in assistance programmes.

The acceleration in Chinese aid-giving after the relative quiescence of the Cultural Revolution period is striking: over half of the estimated aid total of \$2,200m. extended since 1956 has been committed in the last two years.

African countries have been the major recipients of Chinese aid, taking \$1,170m. of the \$2,194m. total extended in the period 1954-1971. The Near-East and South-Asia account for \$757m. of the total. East Asia for \$281m. and Latin America to whom China first extended aid last year with credits to Peru and Chile, for \$44m.

Interesting though the geographical distribution may be, it is clear that political considerations are uppermost in the allocation of aid. For example, the Chinese offer to build the 2,170m. Tanzania-Zambia railway, the largest ever Communist aid project, was made for precisely calculated political reasons.

Firstly, it showed to doubting nations that China had the technical capacity to complete a highly complicated project; it was in effect China's prestige answer to the Soviet Union's Aswan Dam in Egypt. Secondly it was calculated to discomfit Western nations who had turned the project down. Thirdly, it ensured China's presence in an area where the Soviet Union's prestige was on the wane.

### Soviet efforts

The need constantly to challenge the Soviet Union's efforts plays a major part in determining the allocation of Chinese aid. Those countries which benefit massively from Soviet aid, like Egypt, Iraq and Afghanistan, also receive smaller amounts of aid from China, just to remind them that Communism is not monolithic.

Even more favoured are countries which have had a disagreement with the Soviet Union. In the early 1960s, for example, China capitalized on Guinea's disenchant-

ment with Soviet aid and trade methods to establish its first major presence on the African continent, while more recently a Chinese credit of \$400m. was made available to Sudan immediately after the failure of a Soviet-inspired coup against President Numeiry and the subsequent "disgrace" of the Soviet Union.

A subsidiary political motive in the allocation of Chinese aid has been the desire to make an impression, however small, in those areas traditionally dependent on Western assistance. The loan to Ethiopia, the only African country to have an American military presence can be seen in this light, while the recent credits to Chile and Peru, historically in the American sphere of influence, have a similar motive.

It would not be surprising to see China shortly giving assistance to Nigeria, with whom diplomatic relations were established last year, for the same reasons.

There have been criticisms that China makes well-publicized offers of assistance for political gain, as the recent \$19m. loan to Malta, but lacks the capacity to follow through. Certainly, many recipients find it difficult to utilize Chinese credits very quickly — only recently Algeria drew on part of a credit which had first been extended in 1963, and there is some doubt whether a \$50m. industrial credit offered to Egypt in 1964 has ever materialized.

### 'Harsh terms'

Nevertheless, even if only half of the published credits extended in the period 1954-1971, have been utilized, that would still mean that the nation which is itself still developing has helped the developing world to the tune of \$1,100m. It is interesting to reflect that amongst the nations so helped are some whose per capita income is certainly greater than that of the donor.

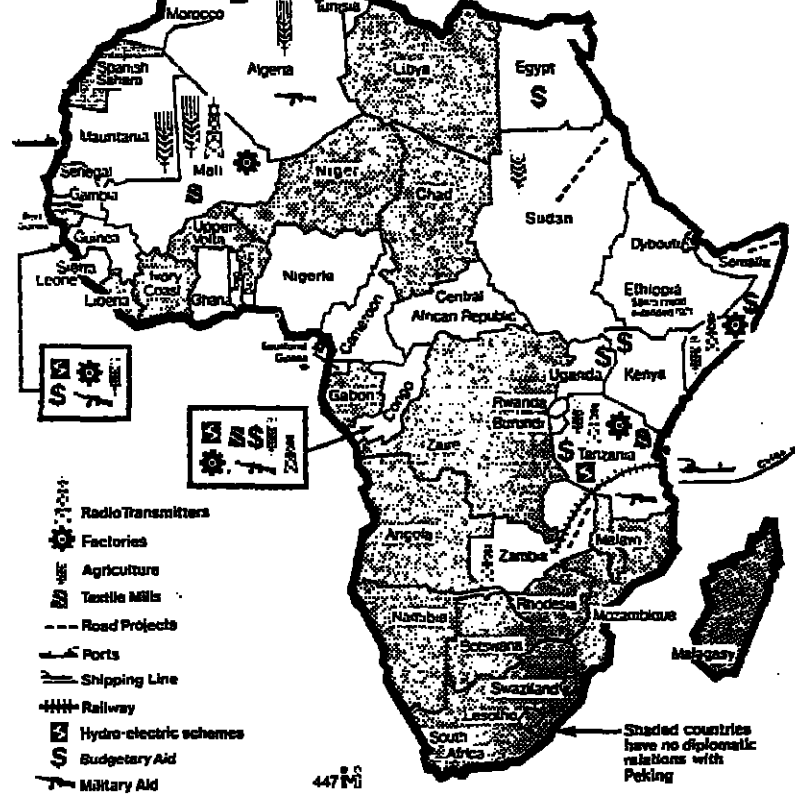
The Sino-Soviet dispute has had an influence on the quality of Chinese aid; in order to show up the "harsh terms" of Soviet aid (usually given at an interest rate of three per cent, but tied up with complicated commodity barter agreements which tend to work out in the Soviet Union's favour) China has given its aid on conspicuously generous terms.

It is invariably given interest-free and is repayable over 10-12 years after a grace period of usually 10 years. China has even shown itself willing to reschedule these not very arduous terms if repayment proves too great a burden for the recipient.

The "Eight Principles" of Chinese aid were spelled out by Chou En-lai during a tour of Mali in 1964. Effectively they enumerated Chinese grievances against Soviet aid to China (suspended in 1960), so were also attractive to those developing countries which felt they too had had a bad deal from the Soviet Union.

However the Eight Principles draw attention to what is generally regarded as the major drawback of

## CHINESE AID TO AFRICA



Chinese aid: it comes in the form of Chinese goods and services. Some hard currency loans have been made, in the form of budgetary aid to a number of African countries and also for various emergency funds, including a \$6m. grant to Egypt immediately after the Six Day War.

But the scarcity of foreign exchange has meant that the bulk of Chinese aid is virtually a transfer of Chinese resources to the recipient country. Chinese labour and material is used wherever possible; Chinese sand is even reputed to have been imported into Guinea to make the cement for the People's Palace, while there are currently some 15,000 Chinese workers helping to construct the Tanzam railway.

This sort of aid is fine when the requirements of the recipient are relatively unsophisticated. The Chinese, after all, can build as good a match factory as anyone else; their rice experts, if anything have greener fingers than those of Western agricultural advisers and their roads serve the purpose in Nepal, Pakistan, Somalia and Zambia.

### Simple methods

But when it comes to supplying capital, or even intermediate goods, or building a sophisticated modern factory the Chinese are found lacking. This explains why the richer developing countries, like Algeria or Iraq, whose aid needs to run to perhaps a petro-chemical complex or assistance with a mining venture, have found it difficult to utilize Chinese credits, whereas countries like Mauritania or Somalia, which appreciate China's simple, labour-intensive methods, welcome it with open arms.

The old-fashioned propeller-driven aircraft which carried Chou En-lai round Africa in 1964 was in Algeria an object of scorn; in Belemo it was a symbol of comradeship in poverty.

The other main criticism of Chinese aid concerns the funding of local costs of aid projects. This involves the purchasing of Chinese goods by the recipient country; funds generated by their sale pay for the wages of local labourers and the purchase of local materials. This is widely seen as the thin edge of a Chinese trade drive, with the cheaper Chinese goods gradually replacing imports from traditional suppliers. This has in fact happened with marked rapidity in Tanzania, where China has jumped from nowhere to be Tanzania's second most important supplier after Britain.

The disadvantages of this system are that China does not always have the quality and variety of goods that the recipient country wants, so that, for instance, shops in Dar es Salaam and Lusaka are full of unwanted Chinese consumer goods such as dressing gowns and toys, and secondly the availability of cheap Chinese goods exerts forces out of business already existing manufacturers, or completely discourages the establishment of similar local industries.

### Neutralizing

China, in other words, is neutralizing potential competitors. The advantages are that if these arrangements are tied up with loan agreements — as is the case with the Tanzam railway — the recipient does not have to pay hard currency for Chinese imports until the expiry of the grace period, and even then repayments are spread over a number of years. The hard-pressed exchequers of most developing countries are therefore more than prepared to sacrifice quality and variety if that means the saving of substantial amounts of foreign exchange.

China is a comparative newcomer in the aid-giving field, having pledged half of all its aid commitments in the last two years, and it is clear from statements made by the Chinese delegation at Unctad III in Santiago that it will continue to use aid as an instrument of policy.

Almost all recipients talk in glowing terms of the non-political nature of Chinese aid, stressing that there are no strings attached; yet even the Eight Principles themselves confirm that China expects something in return for its aid — the first principle states that by accepting aid the developing countries are strengthening their national economy, thereby strengthening "the anti-imperialist" forces in the world.

Whether China considers this object to have been achieved is not clear; what is clear is that the benefits to China of its aid policies so far have been few but spectacular. It was the vote of the African bloc — where China has concentrated the bulk of its aid — that finally secured the entry of China into the U.N.

More recently, at Santiago and at the environmental conference in Stockholm, it has become evident that China has become the spokesman for the developing world. Leadership of the Third World would then seem to be the political prize that Peking is aiming at.

## Readers' letters

### Aliya — dream and reality

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post Sir, — Recently my wife and I have seen our way clear to realize a lifelong dream — Aliya to Israel. As soon as we approached the appropriate authorities we were made to feel that we were being welcomed by everyone, to our new home — a true spiritual welcome. But as to the practical, more materialistic side — another matter altogether.

We were made to understand that adequate housing is one of the foremost problems facing immigrants from the Western countries. Consequently, we determined to allot the major part of our finances, which were heavily taxed by the various expenses of the pending move, towards buying an apartment in Israel. We contacted Israelom in New York to begin negotiations. Imagine our dismay to learn that the Government of Israel has issued a decree discontinuing the availability of mortgages on apartments, bought in foreign currency from the U.S.A. We already had our hearts set on a modest enough apartment, at an approximate cost of \$24,000, but this sum, modest enough as it may appear, was impossible for us to get together in one lump.

Now our future in our new home — Israel — loomed ahead bleak indeed. We felt that we should make the effort and purchase our own apartment with no Government subsidies. But without the benefit of a mortgage this has become impossible. How does the Government explain this action to its potential

citizens, and how can it be termed a welcoming gesture?

J. FIELD

Forest Hills, N.Y., June 6. Ministry of Absorption replies: In accordance with the standing instructions of the Ministry of Absorption, an immigrant entitled to a mortgage, the size of the apartment determined by the price of the apartment he purchases. Regulations to this effect were published in Israel and abroad.

An immigrant family is entitled to a mortgage amounting to IL40,000, or 75 per cent of the price of the apartment, to a maximum total price of IL90,000. Above this sum, the amount of the mortgage decreases according to special table and if the apartment costs more than IL23,000, the immigrant is entitled to no help.

In Jerusalem, the immigrant can get a mortgage of IL50,000, or 75 per cent of the cost of the apartment, so long as its price is not over IL15,000; if it is more than IL16,000, the immigrant can get no help.

These regulations went into force on July 1, 1972 and apply to immigrants entering Israel as of that date. They will only apply as of April, 1973, to immigrants who arrived prior to July 1, 1972; in other words, these immigrants are still covered by the previous more liberal regulations for a short while.

Mr. Field is thus entitled to a mortgage in accordance with the new regulations and his financial possibilities. PINA PARNES, Office of the Spokesman, Jerusalem, July 9.

### KUPAT HOLIM'S REST HOMES

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post Sir, — It is good to read in your issue of June 14 that the Histadrut Kupat Holim has 15 rest homes, but one is prompted to ask who benefits from them?

My husband has been a member since 1924 and has not succeeded even once in the past nine years, in getting accommodation for Pessah in any Kupat Holim rest home, no matter how early he applied, and he is only one of many similar cases.

SALLY UNGER

Haifa, June 16.

### Kupat Holim replies:

In answer to your correspondent's question — who benefits from Kupat Holim's rest homes? — we wish to point out that approximately 70,000 people pass through our rest homes each year. The number of places available in our rest homes is undoubtedly small by comparison with the number of applications we receive. That is unfortunately the reason why only some of our members get a place at our rest homes. During holidays, the situation is even more difficult, since we can accommodate only 2,500 people per week, all over Israel.

Mrs. Unger was unable to get a room during the past nine years for Pessah. I would suggest she contact the Convalescence Department of Kupat Holim, Arlozorof 101, Tel Aviv and everything possible will be done to accommodate her.

Incidentally, we wish to point out that, in the District of Kupat Holim to which Mrs. Unger belongs, the allocation of rooms in rest homes is supervised by a special committee of the District Comptroller's office. Tel Aviv, July 10.

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### CRIME AGAINST HUMANITY

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post Sir, — In response to your report on "The Road to Quang Tri" (July 3), we find ourselves repulsed by the senseless carnage which is taking place in Vietnam. Every one is guilty, we who keep silent as much as they who drop the bombs.

Silence was a contributor to the genocide of European Jewry. Conscience people must react to sentences like: "The carnage stretches for more than 1.5 kms. Bulldozers are being used to clear a path through the bodies and debris, but for now the road is impassable. The smell of death is so nauseating that advancing paratroopers and army engineers have to wear handkerchiefs and gas masks on their faces... Children's toys and pitiful bundles of refugee rags lie among the rusted M-16 rifles and canvas combat gear. Some of the human skeletons are very small..."

What shackles keep us silent? Israeli society as well as its government have the unique distinction of being among the elite few who have not protested against the atrocities of the Vietnam war. The problems of the world are the problems of mankind, therefore of Israel.

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Rehovot, July 6.

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# PROFILE OF A HAPPY TOWN Arad marks decade of growth

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Israel's "finest example of a planned community" — the shopping centre at Arad.

By SALLY BLAKE  
Special to The Jerusalem Post

IT'S a quiet little town with the highest birth rate in Israel — where the air is sweet as wine and lambs lie peacefully in the valleys. An elderly grandmother sits on a park bench and a few children roll in the sandbox.

Nowhere is there any indication that the town has become so popular that 90 parcels of land were recently made available for villas for 300 applicants, they will be raffled off to avoid arguments! Now in its tenth year, Arad is distinctly a success, the first and only town in Israel with a master plan followed to its final details.

The town was laid out on paper a decade ago by Arye (Lyova) Ellav. What is now the Office of the Local Authority originally housed under the roof of the multi-disciplined town — architects together with engineers, hydrologists, geologists, economists. The intention was that all work together — and on the spot. And it has paid off in the

country's finest example of a planned community.

Some 8,000 persons now populate Arad — with the town growing at the rate of 2,000 persons per year, despite the fact that newcomers are carefully pre-selected and screened, and only allowed to settle after they have definite job openings. It is expected that the population will number 35,000 in the next 10 to 15 years. Most of the population — 56% — is Israel-born, which makes the town unique among Israel's development centres. The first settlers were 300 sabras, and they've remained the mainstay of the community.

Recently, however, a large-scale Russian immigration has been absorbed — some 150 families in the past six months, all of whom are already working, mostly as skilled labourers, but in all occupations. The Russians live in mixed communities, and take advantage of the many language classes planned expressly for them. There are evening classes three times a week for the adults, and half-day classes for the children.

The town is beautifully situated east of Beersheba on the Judean desert plateau between the Hebron hills and the Negev. It commands a magnificent view of the Judean Hills and the Dead Sea, and is within easy reach of Masada and Ein Gedi.

**Four sections**

The original town plan divided the city into four main sections — an industrial sector to the west, a concentrated living area in the centre, a private housing region in the east, and a recreation area at the eastern edge of the plateau overlooking the Dead Sea and the Mountains of Moab. The industrial sector was sited to the south-west of the town, so that the prevailing winds, which come from the north-west, would carry any smoke or smells away from the living quarters.

The central section of the town is made up of six main neighbourhood units encompassing 8,000 homes. The commercial, cultural and administrative centre of the

town was constructed simultaneously with the housing, in the centre of the neighbourhoods and serves the whole town. The roads circulate the neighbourhoods and the centre. Parking lots are let into the neighbourhoods, which are traffic-free zones. A network of footpaths allows communication within the neighbourhoods without the necessity of crossing main roads.

Each of the six neighbourhoods contains its own services, such as shops for daily needs, children's clinics, kindergartens, elementary schools and synagogues. Other services such as banks, offices, shops, supermarkets, a social centre and a cinema are in the main town centre.

The economy of Arad is based principally on industry and tourism. The industry is made up both of regional and local factories. Regional industries include the Dead Sea Works, Arad Chemicals, the Atomic Energy Research Institute and the Gas Industries. A Magnesite Industry is in the planning stage. The local industries include Arad Knitting, the Subtron prefabricated housing plant, Movement's grown cork bottle caps, Sheta proteins, an enamel plant, a plastic factory, a pipe galvanizing factory and a chemical works. Numerous smaller workshops have opened alongside the larger industries — such as metal workshops, carpentry shops and garages.

The town's largest plant is the Arad Chemical Industries which produces phosphoric acid and fertilizers, with an initial investment of \$50m, and employing some 400 workers. Another large plant which has recently broken ground is the Periclase Magnesite Industries, which will eventually employ 200-250 men.

## ...AND A VOLUNTEER LOOKS AT A DREARY ONE

By ABRAHAM RABINOVICH  
Jerusalem Post Reporter

A DREARY development town on the edge of the Negev's Big Crater (Hamaikah Hagadol), Yeruham is a place few Americans — or Israelis, for that matter — have ever laid eyes on. Last year, seven young Americans serving in the World Zionist Organization's version of the Peace Corps — Sherut Le'Am (Service to the Nation) — were sent to Yeruham to spend a year of their lives working here as teachers and social workers. This week, the only one of the seven to last out the year discussed her experience on the eve of her return to the U.S.

Marge Seiling, 22, had come on the Sherut Le'Am programme after receiving her B.A. at the University of Michigan. Along with the 60 others in last year's programme, she went to a three-month upan Kiryat Shmona at the termina-

tion of which she asked to be posted to a development town in the Negev. She had been to Israel before and knew what such a posting meant. Most of the others in the group didn't. Upon first spotting the "blocks of flats" surrounded by desert, "some of the girls got absolutely sick," she recalls. Two of them left within the first few weeks for other parts of the country.

Marge was assigned to teach English at a vocational high school. The pupils were mainly children of Moroccan immigrants. Marge was shocked by the intensity with which the children fought each other. "The kids are used to physical contact. That's what they get at home." The men teachers — who exercised "physical contact" on the students — when necessary — had no problem controlling their classes but Marge found it difficult exercising discipline, especially at the beginning. Nevertheless, she came to regard the children with affection.

"Most are fine kids. They're good and they're bright."

Most of the regular teachers were young, many of them teaching in the development town in lieu of army service. Marge found many of them to be very good teachers.

Nevertheless, an air of stagnation seemed to hang over the town. "Things get started but never get completed."

Many of the Indian immigrants, who constitute a sizeable minority in the town, still do not speak Hebrew. One of the Sherut Le'Am volunteers, Haim Cohen, a social worker, persuaded the local authorities to set up an ulpan and several girls' soldiers' service in the town were recruited to teach. But after three months, two of the girls had to give it up for personal reasons and the ulpan disintegrated.

**Dubious doctor**

Mothers of 10-12 children, living in small apartments, told Haim they did not know where to get birth control information. Medical facilities were sorely needed. The town was served by one or two doctors, usually new immigrants from India or the Soviet Union. There were several during the volunteers' stay and Marge thought the medical qualifications of at least one or two extremely dubious. There was also a desperate need for professional psychiatric counselling.

Unlike the other girls in the group, Marge grew fond of Yeruham during her stay. There were the walks on Sabbath into the nearby Crater with friends, or to a nearby lake ("You can't swim in it and there aren't fish anymore but it's pretty"), and calls on the Israeli teachers and the families of some of the children. ("The people there liked us a lot. We had a good rapport.") If it came to it, says Marge, she would not even mind spending another year, or several years, in Yeruham. It could be managed nicely if her boyfriend were with her and if they had a car which would enable them to drive occasionally to a movie in Beersheba — half an hour away — or even to Dimona which is the nearest "big town."

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Arik Shamir, who despite his youth already had a distinguished record of service as a paratroop officer, was the son of Meir Shamir, Director of the J.N.F. Land Development Authority.

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Jerusalem Post Reporter

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**More Israelis going abroad this year**

More Israelis travelled abroad during the first six months of 1972 than in the first half of last year. This was announced yesterday by the Interior Ministry spokesman, who said the figures were 69,347 this year and 62,519 last year.

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ISRAEL BUILDING MORE THAN U.S.

Expansion in textiles seen

Jerusalem Post Economic Correspondent TEL AVIV. — Israel's textile and fashion industry is expected to expand on a large scale...

The industry's development programme, approved by the Meidan Committee, envisages investments to the tune of IL1,000m. over the five year period 1970-1975...

The industry's major problem is to overcome the labour shortage by introducing modern production techniques...

Despite its onerous defence burden, Israel is building 40 per cent more homes for its population per capita than the U.S.

The Minister stated that 46-50,000 housing units would be built in the country this year...

Almost \$300 million will be spent by the Ministry this year, Mr. Sharet said. Of all housing built in the country, sixty per cent is done by private contractors...

David Pincher, a senior Ministry planner, said that the standard size of a Ministry apartment had risen in 10-15 years from 38 square metres

Gov't firm to enter free market

Jerusalem Post Economic Correspondent TEL AVIV. — Shikun Ufrah, the government-owned housing company, is pulling out of projects intended for immigrants...

The company's investment programme will amount to about IL350m. this year of which IL250m. is to be financed by sales proceeds...

to 75 square metres. "This is a technological achievement of which the state can be proud. I'm sure that in five years we'll reach new standards in housing."

Israel Shacham, the Ministry's deputy director, said that land cost was only a small part of the price of public housing, generally 5-6 per cent. At Ramat Eshkol, he said, land accounted for about IL5,000 per apartment...

Gov't firm to enter free market

usually some of these flats will also be disposed of in the free market. The company will also start a number of civic and commercial centres in development towns and in East Jerusalem.

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This season's sabra crop has hit the market. (Simonsky — Israel Sun)

Car smuggling racket run by Brazilian death squad police

By TIMOTHY ROSS A STEADY rise in export figures for one commodity has caused the Brazilian authorities to take firm measures, not to boost this particular form of international trade...

The principal international businessman is Brazilian policeman Marciel Maricot, a handsome playboy and occasional film-actor. He was arrested last year in a Government attempt to clean up the "Death Squad," a large organization of corrupt and criminal policemen...

Maricot promptly escaped (with a little help from his jailers) and rapidly became famous for staying one step ahead of the Government agents ordered to capture him.

A few weeks ago, a Rio newspaper pictured him chatting with members of the Brazilian football team. The photographer was arrested for snatching a wanted criminal, but Maricot slipped back to his new headquarters: Asuncion, capital of neighbouring Paraguay.

When frontier police chanced to capture three members of the group — that works for Maricot and "Fim-ho" — Adhemar de Oliveira, another escaped Death Squad member — one of them, Jaso Castilho, explained the "exporting" of cars across the Friendship Bridge into Paraguay.

Maricot and Fininho, said Castilho, worked in Rio before their arrests, stealing cars, organizing the sale of drugs and eliminating competitors. In Paraguay they sell their glossy Dodge Darts and cars that other colleagues now send Volkswagen Variants.

American firms earning higher profits abroad

Jerusalem Post Economic Editor MOST American companies operating abroad are now earning higher profits (net of tax) outside the U.S. than at home...

"Business International." The urge to get a cut of that higher profitability is inducing American companies to expand their investments abroad despite the administration's attempts to check the resulting outflow of capital.

In 1971 only the auto industry earned better profits at home than did the foreign subsidiaries abroad. Producers of consumer goods and chemicals fared about equally well at home and abroad.

and 15.5 as against 22.4 per cent in pharmaceuticals.

This year profitability is expected to improve in the U.S. owing to the combined effect of boosted purchasing power (due to record deficit spending), protective economic measures, and investment tax credits. On the other hand, overseas profits are expected to decline — particularly in Europe — owing to a slower rate of economic growth.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT TO MOTHERS!

After many attempts to imitate the quality products of the "Remedia" laboratories in Ribson Lesion, the matter was brought to court. The Court's decision was published in Ma'ariv of July 10, 1972.

TWO COMPANIES CLAIM THE NAME "TIRASMIN"

The Tel Aviv District Court yesterday ordered the Dagan Packaging Company to stop marketing and producing baby-food under the name of "Tirasmin", after it had been proved that this product is an exact imitation of a product marketed by another company.

The claimant, Dr. Livio Landes, owner of the "Remedia" pharmaceutical enterprise in Ribson Lesion, declared that "Tirasmin" had been produced by his firm for the last eight years.

Judge H. S. Loewenberg, delivering the Court's decision to stop the production of "Tirasmin" by the Jakobson brothers, declared that he had no doubt whatsoever that the respondents had imitated the claimant's product with the intention of deceiving the public.

Mothers and pediatricians: rely on "Remedia" baby food! (ADVT.)

Moonlighters risk their health

by a Special Correspondent

MILLIONS of "moonlighters" throughout the world risk their health and family happiness to have a higher standard of living or to maintain social appearances...

But why do people become moonlighters in the first place? The encyclopaedia spells these three major motives:

- 1) Financial reasons. These may include a feeling of need for security, a desire for a higher standard of living, or to maintain social appearances, or finally pure avidity.
2) Occupational reasons. With the introduction of the shorter working week and the increase in leisure time, some people cannot find a suitable use for their spare time and resort to double-jobbing rather than waste time.
3) Social and personal reasons. These may be the desire for the companionship of colleagues, an excuse for escaping from an unpleasant domestic atmosphere or a method of self-expression.

entry on moonlighting should have a sobering effect on double-jobbers in the 40-50 age bracket. For this age category moonlighting definitely does not pay.

The cumulative adverse effects of double-jobbing after 40 years of age become dramatic. Varicose veins, hypertension, malignant and coronary disease threaten double-jobbers in their forties. From 50 years there is frequently a slowing down of mental and physical activity.

Encyclopaedia of Occupational Health and Safety in English, Vol. 1 (733 pp.) in Tel Aviv, 1972, 445 for the two volumes.

Housewives

Working housewives can be considered as a particularly vulnerable group of double-jobbers, in whom the effect on health and family harmony is often even more pronounced than in men.

UNLICENSED BUSINESS

The Supreme Court dismissed an appeal against a judgment of the Tel Aviv District Court delivered on January 19, 1971 (in Cr.A. 951/71).

The appellant's father owns a restaurant in Holon for which he failed to receive a trading licence owing to the objections of the police. His son, the appellant, continued to run it despite the absence of a licence.

The son was charged with carrying on a business requiring a licence, without such licence, contrary to sections 4 and 14(a) of the Licensing of Businesses Law, 1965. He admitted his guilt, and was fined and ordered to close down the restaurant within one month. He then appealed to the District Court, arguing that, as the business was not his, but his father's, the court had erred in ordering it to be closed.

Section 14 of the Licensing of Businesses Law provides that: "(a) A person who carries on without a licence a business requiring a licence shall be liable to a fine of IL5,000 or to imprisonment for a term of six months (or both) if he does so. For the purposes of this section, it shall be immaterial whether the person carried on the business himself or through his employee or agent, whether it was his own or that of another... but a person who carries on the business as a sleeping partner or without sharing in its profits shall not be guilty of an offence under this section."

In his opinion, Justice Sussman held, the answer to this question is in the negative. For whatever the intention of the legislator might have been, it is clear from the literal meaning of section

LAW REPORT Edited by Doris Lankin THURSDAY, JULY 20, 1972 Employee's responsibility for carrying on business without licence

14(b) that an employee who receives his wages whether or not the business makes a profit, does not share in the profits of the business and therefore is not guilty of an offence if he carries on his employer's business without a licence.

IL, therefore, the legislative purpose of section 14(b) had been to broaden the scope of the prohibition against carrying on a business without a licence, the legislature had failed to achieve it and would do well to give their attention to amending the Law in order to clarify the extent of responsibility of a person who carries on a business for another, when the latter has no licence for the business.

In the particular case under consideration, Justice Sussman continued, he would have held in favour of the appellant, if it were not that he had admitted to the facts described in the charge sheet, and that these facts per se constituted an offence against section 14(a) of the Law. For he agreed with the representative of the State that, where a person is convicted on the strength of his admission of facts which do not constitute an offence, then the court of appeals will quash the conviction, on the grounds that a person cannot admit to a non-existent offence. But when the charge-sheet contains facts which do constitute an offence, as in the present case (since it was immaterial whether the appellant or his father was the owner of the business in order for his carrying on the business without a licence to constitute an offence, in the absence of any contention that he did not share in the profits), then there is no justification for quashing the conviction.

If, Justice Sussman concluded, the appellant had made his admission in consequence of an error, then he could have asked for leave to withdraw it. As he had not asked for such leave, however, his admission stood, and for this reason his appeal should be dismissed. Judgment given on June 21, 1972.

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The pretty smiling lady at left is Yvonne Hill, from Madras, India, who spends her afternoons posing in the Via Dolorosa. Tourists pay her for taking her picture. She and her husband, an archaeological student from San Francisco, are working in the archaeological dig at the Temple Wall.

# JOSEPHINE CHAPLIN: 'UNAMBITIOUS STAR'

By CATHERINE ROSENZWEIG, Jerusalem Post Reporter

OF course I enjoy playing comedy — I think very much of it," says Josephine Chaplin in answer to the obvious question, adding that it really has nothing to do with father Charlie's precedent. "He's very much in favour of his children going into show business — and even more in favour of our completing our studies first. Other than that, he neither tries to influence us nor to interfere in what we choose to do."

Josephine's latest — and third — film role is far removed from comedy. As Nina Kaplan, the student heroine of Menahem Golan's new production, "Escape to the Sun," she plays a tense, emotional part, attempting to escape from a totalitarian state to freedom together with her young husband — played by Yehuda Barkan. The film, whose theme is based on the Leningrad trials, had its premiere in Tel Aviv last week, which was the reason for Josephine's visit to Israel.

Menahem Golan had described her to me as "a very gentle, refined girl with a sensitive face, big brown eyes, very photogenic." As she stepped out of the "set" at the Hilton Hotel, Josephine's "escape" from the "Golan" world was complete. She is a furrier, it was clear that the description was an apt one, though I had to take a second look to make quite sure it was she: simply dressed in yellow gingham, she looked even less than her 21 years. She is softly spoken and engagingly shy. She freely admits that she is very much at the start of her career, and still has a lot to learn.

"Escape to the Sun" provided me with a tremendous amount of experience — gained as much from the other actors (among them Laurence Harvey and Jack Hawkins) as from the director. It was emotionally demanding, very strenuous — the whole film was shot in two months, working from six in the morning till midnight — luckily the black rings under my eyes suited the part!"

By now, with her largest part to date in her third film, Josephine says that she is less nervous than she was in her first — Pasolini's "Cauterbury Tales".

complex, knowing that I had been chosen because of my name, afraid of not being able to live up to it. Am I happy with "Escape to the Sun?" Not altogether — I think I have a tendency to underplay — but I am very happy with the film's ending. You always have to adapt a character to yourself, and vice versa. With the role of Nina Kaplan it was more of the former — I felt that she was a girl rather like me, that I would have reacted in the same way as she did."

### Family

"I'd like to stay in films, I really love the work, but I don't have very burning ambitions — I'm not desperate to work all year round. Nicolas gives me every encouragement in his career, joins me as much as possible when I'm on location. Next time I film I hope to take our baby with me. One thing I think, was very lucky: that I didn't work for the first two years of my marriage. It gave us a chance to settle down — we live near Geneva — I didn't do very much — I don't find it terrible not to be working."

Josephine's original ambition was to be an opera singer; she studied

singing in Switzerland and, as part of her opera training, acting as well. "As far as the singing was concerned, I desperately hoped something would come — but the truth of it is that I simply don't have a voice!" Given the choice, her favourite evenings out are attending Italian or Mozart operas, concerts or piano recitals. She herself plays the piano, but strictly as a hobby. Josephine is the third of Oona & Charlie Chaplin's eight children: living close by, she sees her parents regularly. Four younger brothers and sisters are away at school, her younger sister Victoria is a circus clown, married to a circus clown and living in Paris.

Events have moved fast for Josephine Chaplin in the past six months. It was only at the end of February that Menahem Golan came to see her in Switzerland and picked her for the lead role in his film. Now that it is completed, "I'll see what my agent has to offer; there is the possibility of another film with Menahem based on the story of Hanna Senesh. If it comes off — and nothing's financed yet — it would mean filming here in Israel, coming back for a much longer stay, which I'd love."



Israel director Menahem Golan greets his star Josephine Chaplin upon her arrival in Israel for the premiere of "Escape to the Sun."

# CHAIRS ARE DANGEROUS

GET off those chairs and sit on the ground if you want to prevent varicose veins, says a New Zealand doctor. Chair-sitting is the prime factor in causing this unsightly problem in Western civilizations, according to Dr. Colin James Alexander of the Auckland Medical School.

Children are most affected by chair-sitting, and because of this they later develop enlarged, twisted, lumpy veins that have lost elasticity. It is his hypothesis that "The disease increases with civilization and correlates closely with chair-sitting," Alexander says. "There are few cases of varicose veins in Eastern and primitive civiliza-

tions, where sitting on the ground is considered normal. It is a possible exception of two mountain tribes who are physically aberrant. I have found no important prevalence of varicose veins in a non-chair-sitting community, while Western society everywhere is afflicted with the problem," he says. Chair-sitting exerts twice the pressure on leg veins as does ground-sitting, according to Alexander, who conducted one of the first studies on the subject.

Standing erect and exercise puts less strain on veins than sitting on a chair, he maintains. If a standing person is immobile for a long time, the pressure on his legs becomes constant. But even in occupations where people must stand, they

change positions frequently, which keeps the blood "percolating," Alexander explains. The blood also moves normally in veins when a person is lying down or sitting on the floor or ground.

The immobile, bent-leg, chair-sitting position, however, causes pooling of blood in the legs and creates constant, doubled stress. The veins become less elastic, with thinner walls, increased diameter and a diminishing of supportive tissue.

It is widely thought that varicose veins are caused by inherited weakness of the veins, or by failure of the valves inside the veins to regulate flow as a person gets older. No, says Alexander, the weaknesses are formed during the growth period in childhood.

"The modern Western child spends 8 to 10 of his waking hours chair-sitting, in a posture with constantly high venous stress," he says. "The net result is that the child exchanges a low, oscillating stress (sitting on the floor) for a high and mainly constant one." This leads to increased leg vein size at the end of the growth period, Alexander explains. Every subsequent activity of posture puts more stress than normal on the veins, since stress is a function of size. The larger the vein size, the more pressure exerted on the vein wall, causing it to bulge out in the bluish varicose pattern. Factors such as pregnancy, tight clothes and standing on one's feet all day — which have no effect on primitive people who were not raised on chairs — accelerate varicose veins. These additional factors also lead to more varicose veins in women than men.

## Painstaking precision

Her choice of programme was not conservative. Including works studied at any music academy and acquired for student recitals and "concert" diploma. She is the product of a tradition where precision, including observance of all interpretative marks, and sound music taking are the achievements expected and striven for. We got all that — a responsible, perfectly controlled, sound and sober performance of fine examples from several



periods — late Baroque, classical and romantic. But they are heard so often that one wants to hear some new interpretation, some different approach, some personal note adding to one's experience of the same pieces. This could also give some indication of the re-creative faculties of the performing artist. Irina Zaritzkaya refrained from doing all this, and people who listen to music for it's own sake had a satisfactory evening. I, for my part, missed some personal involvement and individual approach. Needless to say that, technically, everything was perfectly clean and correct, and the music appeared in sound as written in the scores. Let us hope, that the new pianist will free herself in our free society from limitations imposed on her personality and give us more of herself through personal interpretations of the masters.

YOHANAN BOSSH (Universal Science News)

# K.G.B. ADOPTS A VICIOUS POLICY

## Soviet Jews: New trial planned

REPORTS have reached Jerusalem that the KGB is planning the trial of a group of Moscow Jews who are actively fighting for their right to repatriation to Israel. Taking into account public opinion in the countries of the West, that would inevitably be aroused by a new campaign of intimidation against Soviet Jews, it has evidently been decided to hold this trial not in the capital, but in a remote town, most likely Sverdlovsk, where the authorities would be saved the embarrassment of foreign correspondents and diplomatic representatives. As has become known during the investigation in the case of Vladimir Markman, a Sverdlovsk Jew who was arrested early in May on a charge of transmitting information to Israel about the struggle of Soviet Jews for emigration, the investigator demanded that the witnesses give testimony concerning the connection between Markman and three Moscow Jews, V. Slepak, Vladimir Prestin and Victor Polsky, and also concerning the "instructions" that the latter had transmitted to the Jews of Sverdlovsk.

It is known from reliable sources that as far back as the end of 1971 Col. N. S. Fozdakov of the KGB tried to force various people to testify to the alleged anti-Soviet activities of Slepak, Prestin and Polsky. The KGB even promised that assistance to the KGB in the organization of an anti-Zionist trial of Moscow Jews in Sverdlovsk would accelerate emigration to Israel. Those actively engaged in the struggle for aliya in Sverdlovsk disregarded this offer and refused to collaborate with the KGB. The threat of legal violence therefore looms over Polsky, a physicist, Slepak, a radio engineer, and Prestin. All three have for a number of years been in the forefront of the movement for the right of the Jews of the U.S.S.R. to return to Israel. The Soviet authorities stubbornly refuse to give them permission to emigrate to Israel on the pretext that years ago they worked on secret problems.



V. POLSKY V. SLEPAK

## Absorption clerks to become counsellors

Jerusalem Post Reporter ABSORPTION Ministry counsellors dealing with immigrants are to be sent back to the classroom during the next three years. The counsellors are to receive 450 hours of training in social work and psychological techniques so that instead of functioning largely as clerks, they will be able to treat each immigrant as an individual and create a new set of social ties that will give him a sense of belonging. According to Ezeruch Ovadia, director of the Ministry's welfare services department, this is a distinct departure from the handling of mass immigration in the early years of the State, when entire communities were being resettled. "People coming today," Mr. Ovadia points out, "are not being pushed out of their former homes. They are leaving families behind and they are leaving a high standard of living. People like that require a special attitude." A whole web of social relations, built up over a lifetime, has been left behind, and after the initial enthusiasm, the immigrant often comes to feel like a stranger in a distant land.

Information Most immigrants know the Absorption Ministry counsellor as the person through whom they obtain a flat and a Government mortgage. The counsellors also offer information about taxes, customs, jobs health schemes and other intricacies. It is Mr. Ovadia's wish that they should go beyond this and inject themselves into the immigrants' feelings, getting him to give expression what bothers him and helping him achieve an attitude that will enable him to cope with his difficulties. "To accomplish this, the workers' goodwill and common sense is not enough; they need professional training. In addition to the training course, the counsellors will also be subject to on-the-job supervision by trained social workers. It is estimated by some officials that the number of counsellors would have to be trebled to allow them sufficient time to cope in depth with individual problems. The counsellor of the future will try to moderate the idealization of the country indulged in by many new immigrants, thereby avoiding the severe disillusionment that usually follows. He will try to make the immigrant "more open" to his surroundings, easing the establishment of social ties with neighbours and colleagues.

Persecution Polsky, Prestin and Slepak have been repeated victims of KGB persecution. In March 1971 they were thrown into prison for 15 days on the false charge of disturbing public order, because they, along with other Jews, had demanded the liberation of the Prisoners of Zion. They kept being summoned to the KGB for interrogation and, at the end of May 1972, during President Nixon's visit to Moscow, Polsky and Slepak were again arrested and put in prison for 10 days without investigation or trial. At the same time, Prestin was sentenced on a false charge of petty hooliganism and spent 15 days in solitary confinement under appalling sanitary conditions. He went on a hunger strike for the entire term of his imprisonment, but was given no medical assistance of any kind and was allowed no exercise. Lately, the Soviet authorities have

adopted a vicious policy with regard to the emigration to Israel of scientists and specialists. They have apparently decided to put an end, forcibly, to internal pressures for the right of all Soviet Jews — and not just an arbitrarily selected few — to emigrate to Israel. Events of the last few months confirm this conclusion: the rough dispersion and beating up of Jews gathering near synagogues in Moscow and in Kiev on Saturdays, the out-of-turn conscription of Jewish activists, the preventative arrests during the U.S. President's visit, the disconnection of telephones in the apartments of Polsky, Slepak, Prestin and other Jews. Finally, the recent jamming of Israeli radio transmissions to the Soviet Union (transmissions which, incidentally, carefully avoid any material of an anti-Soviet character), is a new step in the KGB's effort to stifle the process of national revival among the Jews of the U.S.S.R. and to break the important link that connects the Jews with their spiritual and historical homeland. In the light of these facts, the reports about the preparations for an anti-Zionist trial against Slepak, Prestin and Polsky, and perhaps against some other Moscow Jews, too, take on a sinister appearance.

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# THE LIBERAL PARTY'S ANSWER

The Herut Movement and the Liberal Party in Israel have established Gahal "in spite of their differences." One of these differences is their divergent approaches to a change of the electoral system, a question on which the conventions of the General Zionists and, later, the Liberal Party have made their decision.

The Liberal Party has always held that only the introduction of regional-proportional elections can end the plethora of splinter factions and parties, and pave the road towards an alternative to the ruling party — not to speak of the other advantages of this system.

Under the present electoral system the left-wing parties succeeded in remaining in power, since 1933 in Eretz Yisrael, and since 1948 in the State of Israel, with the help of the splinter parties which sprang up under the proportional elections system with the whole country as one electoral region. There is hardly any other country in the Western world with a similar system.

Even under the present electoral system, the left-wing Alignment has obtained 56 seats in the Knesset, and — together with the 4 Members of the minority parties and the Member who broke away from the State List — an absolute majority.

Unfortunately, if it decides to do so, the left-wing Alignment can recruit a considerable majority for a policy that will cause the renewed partition of Eretz Yisrael.

The Liberal Party is convinced that the introduction of a system of regional-proportional elections will strengthen the position of Gahal as an alternative, and will create a reasonable opportunity for a future change of government.

The Liberal Party has not adopted the suggestion of the Labour Party with regard to a change in the electoral system. On the contrary, the Labour Party adopted our traditional platform. We did not give in to a "dikta" (and are surprised at the use of the term). We voted for passing a proposed bill, in a First Reading vote, a vote which expresses our fundamental stand, which was well-known to our Herut partners for many years.

We have on occasion voted with our historic "opponents" on important subjects. We did this with the "National Education Law," and with the law regarding the "National Flag" in schools. Recently, Gahal cooperated with the Alignment in co-sponsoring a Private Members' Bill concerning a change in the law for dividing "surplus" votes for seats in the Knesset (Bill Esh-Nun-Vav). According to this Bill, which was signed by Dr. Y. Bader of Gahal and by Avraham Ofer of the Alignment (with our agreement), it may be estimated that the Alignment would obtain two additional seats in the Knesset, according to the percentages of the votes cast in the most recent elections. It is theoretically possible that the Alignment could achieve an absolute majority in the Knesset, due to this bill alone — if it passes.

The regional-proportional electoral system will not come into effect before the elections to the ninth Knesset, at the earliest. It is reasonable to believe that during this period a decision will be made with regard to our borders. On the other hand, if no decision will yet have been made, it is reasonable to believe that the status quo with regard to the border situation will continue indefinitely.

For all these reasons, we cannot accept your arguments. At the meeting which took place on the seventh of this month, the Executive of the Liberal Party decided that if the Bill, which is a framework bill, passed the preliminary reading, a detailed bill should be submitted, to complete the framework Bill. It was also decided that the Elections Law must fit the needs of the State, and the basic agreement of Gahal, and must be submitted to the Knesset together with the framework Bill before being passed to Committee after the First Reading. It was with this condition that we agreed to support the Bill on its preliminary reading. The Executive of the Liberal Party suggests to our partners, the Herut Movement, that a mutual committee comprised of members of the two components of Gahal be set up to work out an Elections Law. This way, we can try to arrive at a mutually agreed upon position, which will assure that the law will serve the interests of the Nation, will fit the basic agreement of Gahal and will lead to a change of Government in Israel.

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TEL AVIV: The Tel Aviv Museum Today, Tisha B'Av, the Museum is closed. Hebrews, temporarily closed, due to renovations. Museum Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (9 a.m. to 12 p.m. on Saturdays). (1) Glass Museum; (2) Modern Numismatic Museum; (3) Ceramic Museum; (4) Museum of Ethnography and Folklore; (5) Museum of Science and Technology; (6) Tel. 26212. Free tours: Wed. - 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Fri. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Sat. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Sun., Mon., Tues., Thurs. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. 1st Floor: (7) Roman Mon. Wed. Thurs. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. (8) 5 p.m. Fri. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Sat. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. (9) Alphabet Museum: Sun. through 1 p.m. Sat. closed. 18 Miriam Shalom, (10) Museum of Antiquities of Tel Aviv-Yafo: Sun. Mon. Tues. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Fri. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. (11) Museum of Antiquities of Tel Aviv-Yafo: Sun. Mon. Tues. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Fri. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. (12) Tel. 26212.

JERUSALEM: Israel Museum - Thurs. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Tues. Shrine of the Book 10 a.m. - 10 p.m. Tuesday, Museum, 4 p.m. - 10 p.m.; Friday, Saturday, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Exhibitions: Beni Eshai (Sperus Hall), Ami Shavit (From the Object to the Print (1st Floor)), Avigdor Stenzyk: Paintings (1938-1972) (Grupe and Goldman Hall), Sculptors at drawings and print-making (Goldman-Schwartz Hall), Jules Pascin: Watercolours and Drawings from the Museum's Collections (Cohen and Goldman Hall), Creative Works by Children and Games (Youth Wing), Puppets (Youth Wing), New offerings from Gesser (Rockefeller Museum), Special Exhibit: Rabbin's personal seal. Conducted Tours: Hadassah Tours - by appointment only. Tel. 5653, Jerusalem.

1. Tour of Hadassah Projects in Jerusalem. 2. Tour of Hadassah Medical Centre only including Hadassah Windows, exclusive Art Display Presentation. The Hadassah Story, 9.30 a.m., 11 a.m., 12.15 and 3 p.m. in Kennedy Building. No charge. Hebrew University. There will be no tours today of the University Campuses at Givat Ram and Mount Scopus.

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# Tish'a Be'Av 1972: The social event of the season

By DAVID LANDAU  
Jerusalem Post Reporter

Long hair and blue jeans heavily predominated over long earlocks and black coats at the Western Wall last night, during the early hours of the Tish'a Be'Av fast. Thousands of tourists jostled merrily with Israelis in what has become (since 1968) the social event of the tourist season — "Tish'a Be'Av at the Wall" — where you meet old friends and make new ones.

Jerusalem's orthodox community, many of whom frequent the Wall regularly throughout the year, were conspicuous by its absence. Only after 9 p.m., after the crowds of the jolly and the curious began to thin out, did the Wall's regulars begin to arrive for the traditional *kinot* (dirges) recitation.

The picturesque prayer circles of the two Tish'a Be'Av days immediately following the 67 war, when different communities gathered to chant the traditional lamentations, each in its own style, were gone —

except for the Jerusalem Yemenite community, which still made a valiant effort. As for the rest, most people made no pretence of praying or chanting anything, but seemed to be there strictly for enjoyment. The few more serious-minded, who tried to observe the traditions of this sombre fast day were in many cases the butt of pranks and practical jokes by young ruffians.

Only as midnight approached did the Wall return to its more usual state, with the aura of dignity and quietude.

The only individuals who seemed to be taking their presence there seriously were police and security forces, who were seen in greater numbers than usual, at the Wall and all around the Old City. In addition to the more stringent security measures, which included a more careful check of pocketbooks and packages, young Magen David Adom volunteers were in and among the crowd, and all vehicular traffic in the Old City was banned.

*Sarah Honig reports from Tel Aviv:*

All places of entertainment were closed here last night. With the neon lights turned off and the cafe tables off the sidewalks, Rehov Dizengoff took on a dark and deserted look as did many other usually busy areas in the city centre. Synagogues were fuller than usual, with special prayer services held. Many people will be fasting today and many plan to go to the Western Wall.

Programmes on radio and television last night were largely devoted to themes of the destruction of the Temple in 70 A.D., as well as to the changed meaning of Tish'a Be'Av since the establishment of the State and the liberation of the Old City.

## Gaza Mayor back; denies statements

GAZA. — Mayor Rashad Shawa returned here yesterday afternoon via Cyprus and Lod Airport from a two-month visit to the Far East and several Arab countries.

The Shidurel Yisrael reporter said last night that the Gaza Mayor denied meeting with terrorist leaders or making anti-Israeli statements. While in Kuwait he was quoted by news agencies as saying that Gaza residents had become "servants of the Israelis." Some weeks ago a transcript of Mayor Shawa's remarks, distributed in Gaza, maintained that the news agencies had eliminated the word "not" from this statement. (According to the transcript, Mr. Shawa said the Gaza residents had not become servants of the Israelis.)

Mayor Shawa indicated that he will be back at his desk today and will hold a press conference soon.

## Beduin soldier killed on Golan

RAMAT HAGOLAN. — Samal Musaa Ka'abi, of the Arab Ka'abiyeh Beduin tribe, was killed here yesterday in a traffic accident.

The deceased was 24 years old and was married to the daughter of the village mukhtar.

He was the first son of the Ka'abiyeh tribe to be killed while in army service. The funeral will be held in the village, near Kibbutz Alonim, at 1 p.m. today. (Itim)

## DAYAN MEETS SINAI BEDUIN

Defence Minister Moshe Dayan yesterday visited three Beduin encampments in Central Sinai and discussed the tribes' problems with their chiefs.

The sheikhs asked for water supply, transport means, and more food rations for needy cases.

Mr. Dayan was accompanied by the O/C Southern Command, Aluf Ariel Sharon; Tab-Aluf Shlomo Garzit, the coordinator of activities in the territories; and Aluf-Mishne Me-nashe Avioff, commander of the El Arish District.

## Forest commemorates Iraqi martyrs

MODIIN. — A forest commemorating Iraqi Jews who were killed in show trials, in Iraq jails, or en route to Israel while trying to immigrate here illegally was dedicated here yesterday. Premier Golda Meir, Police Minister Shlomo Hillel, J.N.F. Directorate chairman Ya'acov Tsaur and thousands of Iraqi Jews took part.

## Seven firetrucks fight blaze at Palmahim

PALMAHIM. — A fire which broke out in a haystack at this kibbutz yesterday morning burned until 5 p.m. as firemen struggled against a lack of water.

First on the scene were two engines from the Rishon Lezion Fire Brigade. When the Rishon men saw the size of the blaze they radioed to Rehovot, Holon and Ramat Gan, which sent another five units.

Part of the water shortage which hindered the fire-fighters was due to an electricity failure at the kibbutz, which cut pressure.

As of last night the damage had not yet been estimated. Police investigators had already arrived to look into the cause of the fire.

## Paratroopers suspected of multiple thefts

TIBERIAS. — Civilian and military police here intercepted and captured a carload of paratroopers here on Tuesday night after a wild chase on the roads north of Tiberias. Six soldiers, aged 20 to 22, have been arrested on suspicion of carrying out a rash of thefts around the Kinneret recently, including the stealing of radios from cars parked at lakeside hotels. All are serving with units in the area.

## Israel hoopsters lose to Hungary

TEL AVIV. — Israel yesterday lost its first game in the European Youth Basketball Championships, bowing to Hungary 51:62.

Israel has to beat Turkey today to assure its place in the play-offs for the first four positions.

The leading Israeli scorers were Moscovitch, 14, Berkovitz, 14, and Schwartz, 10 points. At half-time the Hungarians led 32:24.



A group of Arab and Jewish youngsters from a mixed summer camp in Acre, on a visit to Arab villages in the Nazareth region. They are pictured here at Kafir Mash'had. (Israel Sun)

## T.A. Mayor Rabinowitz: Little hope for Hatikva Quarter

By MARK SEGAL  
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Mayor Yehoshua Rabinowitz holds out little hope of any solution for the pressing problems of the Hatikva Quarter.

The Mayor met yesterday with a delegation of Hatikva Quarter youth circles at City Hall. The visitors spelled out a five-point plan for ameliorating the lot of the slum quarter's residents.

The Mayor explained that the authorities were actively considering more drastic action to tackle the root causes of the quarter's problems. But, he said, the main difficulty is that its land is owned by a large number of private persons with whom protracted negotiations will have to take place.

Mr. Rabinowitz agreed with the delegation's complaint that most young couples in the quarter could not afford to buy homes. He spoke of the official five-year plan to build 10,000 new homes in Tel Aviv and reported that he was soon to meet Housing Minister Ze'ev Sharaf to finalize plans for constructing 350 homes for young couples. They will be completed in about 18 months and part of them will be rental apartments.

The Hatikva Youth Circles' delegation, led by Mr. Zvi Yehudiel, mentioned several other problems, namely vocational training, raising school standards, increasing the number of nursery schools and youth clubs there.

The Mayor did not hold much hope for meeting their demands. While admitting that the Municipality had the funds for youth clubs, nursery schools and play grounds, he said there was no vacant land available in the quarter;

but he hoped that some landowners would agree to sell. (See earlier story on clubs for street gangs, page 9.)

As to their demand to raise educational levels in the quarter to those in other parts of Tel Aviv, Mayor Rabinowitz said he was under the impression that all nine primary schools in Hatikva Quarter had the "long school day" for culturally deprived children. He was amazed to hear that the Hatikva primary school, for example, did not employ this arrangement, claiming, "Only last week, when I met the Central Parents Committee, they said everything was in order in this respect."

A further meeting was arranged for early next month, and the Mayor informed the delegation that he will tour the quarter on Monday to study its problems at first hand. The Hatikva Youth Circles, which operate through the local Histadrut club, is seeking a series of meetings with key national personalities in order to ameliorate the lot of the quarter's residents — especially its youth. A session with Histadrut Secretary-General Yitzhak Ben-Aharon is scheduled, and they hope to be received by Prime Minister Golda Meir.

A meeting with Labour Ministry officials reportedly ended in disappointment, when the officials rejected their request for bigger loans to men seeking to learn a trade. Now they can get IL10 a day, which the representatives argue is inadequate for family heads. They had asked for a one-time loan of IL1,000, which the man could repay once he found a job; but the Ministry turned them down.

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Mayor Teddy Kollek's insistence



SECRET WEAPON. — Tel Aviv police have acquired a fleet of six motorized bicycles. They say the new vehicles will not be used on patrols — but only for delivering summonses and other messenger-type tasks. (Israel Sun)

## Court orders Dead Sea men back to work

BEERSHEVA. — The District Labour Court here yesterday ordered the workers at the Dead Sea Works in Sdom to end their labour sanctions and return immediately to regular work.

The workers, who have been deadlocked with management over a new contract since their old one ran out at the beginning of the year, stopped doing overtime and performing special maintenance services a week ago. Yesterday the works committee distributed printed copies of the court order to the plant staff at Sdom; but when asked by *The Jerusalem Post* whether this meant the end of the sanctions, works committee secretary Jacques Amir said that this was up to a general meeting of the workers which would be convened this weekend. He added that the committee had complied with the court by distributing its order to the workers.

The workers have lowered their demands to an overall wage increase of 33 per cent from their original figure of 80 per cent. The company says it can only pay 20 per cent more (including cost-of-living and automatic seniority increments). Company president Arye Shinar said last night in Beersheba that 20 per cent of his firm's IL110m. yearly expenses are in wages compared to an average of 10 to 11 per cent for other world phosphate companies. He declared that, due to the heavy competition in the industry, the company cannot go beyond its offer.

## B'sheba grocers protest Arab competition

BEERSHEVA. — This city's grocers closed down Beersheba's fruit and vegetable market yesterday in protest against Hebron and Gaza Strip Arabs who come in once a week to sell their produce.

A noisy noon-time demonstration of some 50 grocers was dispersed by police at the Beersheba Market. Mr. Bar-Ilan said that he had no intention of barring the Arabs from the market. The Mayor said it was government policy to let Arabs from the territories move, work and trade freely in Israel.

He added that the Arab producers, whose goods cost half the local price, provide a once-a-week boon to Beersheba's poorer families.

# Benvenisti calls it 'PR gimmick' J'lem to take on U.K. expert town planner

By ABRAHAM RABINOVICH  
Jerusalem Post Reporter

A well-known British planner, Professor Nathaniel Lichfield, is slated to become Jerusalem's chief town planner next month.

His pending appointment was approved yesterday by the majority Alignment faction of the Municipal Council. Prof. Lichfield, a past president of the Royal Town Planning Institute, is scheduled to arrive in Jerusalem in two weeks to finalise the terms of his contract.

The contract is to run just for a year and a half, the faction spokesman said, since the current city administration could not obligate itself beyond its present term of office, which ends in December, 1973.

The employment in Jerusalem of a planner of international renown was one of the major recommendations made by the Jerusalem Committee, the international panel of architects and planners, when it met in the Capital in 1970. Prof. Lichfield, 56, is a planner and economist and holds the Chair of Environmental Planning at London University. He is married to an Israeli architect.

Because of Prof. Lichfield's teaching obligations in London he will spend only half the 18-month period in Jerusalem.

that Prof. Lichfield be taken even on a part-time basis, the councilman said, was a public relations gesture in response to the Jerusalem Committee's recommendation.

"I have nothing against Prof. Lichfield personally," Mr. Benvenisti emphasized. "He's a good man."

It was Mr. Benvenisti who conducted initial negotiations with Lichfield a year ago. At that time the Councilman was in charge of planning on the Municipal Council. He organized the Urban Planning Unit, which for the first time gave the city a solid planning arm. (The Unit has been without a permanent head since it was formed.)

**TALENT HUNT**

The Municipality is known to have staged a world-wide talent hunt for a prominent Jewish planner to take over the top post.

According to one planning source, the next 18 months will be a critical period for Jerusalem. Some of the most important parts of a new Outline Plan for the city are expected to be completed during this time, he said. The Outline Plan is a legally binding document that will, for the first time since 1944, offer firm guidelines for development of a united city.

Mr. Benvenisti, however, feels that no plan can be drawn up during this period because of next year's elections. When serious work on an Outline Plan gets under way, he said, construction must be frozen in large parts of the city until their ultimate fate is determined in the plan.

"You can't freeze half of Jerusalem in an election year," he said.

**OBJECTION**

A vigorous objection to Prof. Lichfield's appointment was raised at the faction meeting by Councilman Meiron Benvenisti, who labelled it "an expensive public relations gimmick." What Jerusalem needed, he said, was a full-time chief of planning, in a position to implement plans — not a part-time consultant to add to the numerous plans that already exist.

The appointment of Prof. Lichfield would exacerbate the planning situation rather than improve it, Mr. Benvenisti said, since it would merely add another inconclusive layer to the planning structure.

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**Welfare family seeks help 'from Jesus'**

The David Ben-Shoshan family of Ashdod decided to carry a protest to Bethlehem, Tuesday, and to conduct a sit-down strike in front of the Church of the Nativity, "in the hope that may be salvation will come from Jesus."

The family, which numbers seven persons, was removed from the Church plaza by police early yesterday, after an order was issued by the Military Government.

Mr. Ben-Shoshan told police that his family was protesting the failure of the Ashdod welfare bureau to provide aid he had requested. Since he did not receive adequate help from them, he said, he decided to protest at the Church, in the hopes that "salvation will come from Jesus."

The police, on removing the family, warned them not to return to their home in Ashdod.

**D.A. appeals acquittal of Shimon Danoch**

TEL AVIV. — The acquittal of Shimon Danoch, who had been charged with threatening to kill reporter Ron Klavov of "Ha'aretz" for mentioning his name in a series of articles on crime, was appealed yesterday by the District Attorney's office.

Danoch was acquitted of the charge by Judge Boris Zappoport of the Magistrate's Court in June, but the judge recommended that his decision be appealed to test its stability. The judge had agreed, at the time, with defence counsel's contention that Danoch had every right to try to prevent his name from being published in the *Wall Street Journal*.

In the appeal, the prosecutor states that the judge erred in his interpretation of the law regarding the threats voiced by Danoch and in his declaration that the matter on which he had to decide was whether or not Klavov had the right to mention the defendant's name in the articles. Danoch's intention, the appeal goes on to say, was to intimidate Klavov so that he would not dare to print his name, while the reporter's right to do so was not under question in that trial. (Itim)

## Silver carp takes to life in Kinneret

TIBERIAS. — The silver carp introduced into the Kinneret experimentally three years ago is proving a successful and promising new crop.

The director of the fresh water fishing section in the Ministry of Agriculture, Meir Bar-Ilan, said Monday that the silver carp does not "compete" with other fish in the Kinneret for food. It is equipped with a "filter" which enables the fish to extract micro-plankton even from polluted water, and these are not eaten by other fish.

Explaining the feeding and breeding habits of silver carp to newsmen at the fish fertilization institute near Kibbutz Ginosar, Mr. Bar-Ilan said 40,000 fish were put into the lake three years ago. They grow rapidly, and in two years they grow to a weight of up to four kilograms.

The peculiar problem of this fish, however, is that it will not multiply in Israel, at least not in the Jordan Valley. The difficulty is overcome by a hormone injection into the male and female of the species. The hormone stimulates the fish sexually, and within 24 hours the female fish lays her eggs.

Four years ago silver carp were brought from Hong Kong, and put into ponds together with other fish. Today 150 pairs serve as the "breeding stock." To achieve a crop on a commercial scale, a million fish would have to be put into the lake.

Mr. Bar-Ilan said that the Kinneret catches had risen five-fold since 1967, from 400 tons to 2,160 tons last year, thanks to improved fishing techniques and the stocking of the lake with new fish.

## Man killed by burst tire tube

TIBERIAS. — Radwan Ahmed Salaman, 18, of Mashab (near Nazareth) a garage worker here, lost his life yesterday afternoon when an inner tube which he was inflating burst.

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## Licensing official tries to clear his name

Jerusalem Post Reporter

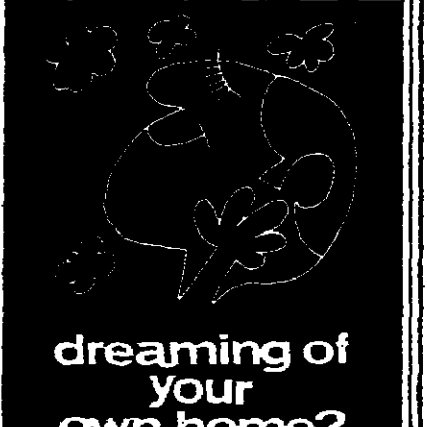
Court proceedings will begin next week against Mr. David Yachin, Assistant Director (and acting head) of the Vehicle Licensing Office in the Transport Ministry. The accusation is that he assisted an East Jerusalem dealer to secure tax licences for people who were not entitled to them.

Mr. Yachin claims that the forgeries were done after he had signed the relevant documents. A junior official was sentenced to imprisonment for this offence two years ago, but Mr. Yachin was also implicated. It is understood that he wanted the matter brought to court in order to clear his reputation, Ministry sources say.

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Nazareth	70	18-26
Nal Aviv	48	20-28
Lod	44	18-30
Jericho	56	19-29
Beerseba	37	16-31
Eilat	16	24-32
Tiran	20	25-32

**ARRIVALS**

Mr. Henry Burger of Forest Hill, New York, president of the Friends of the David Yellin Hebrew Teachers College, to meet with heads of the Society for the Advancement of the

**DEPARTURES**

Hebrew University Dean of Students Yehoshua Cohen, Adult Education Department chairman Yaron Klein and Upen Akiva head Shulamit Katznelson for Tokyo, to represent Israel at the International Congress on Adult Education, opening there on July 25.

Elmer Heller of the Technologists and Scientists Organisation of Los Angeles, for the U.S., after a visit to aid of Israeli industry (by Air France).

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